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Merry Christmas To All

REALISTIC REMINDER—of "Christmas for Christ" is brought home to Frankfort residents and travelers by the almost life-size creche displayed at the Frankfort Methodist church, Sauk Trail at Linden drive. The life-like figures in the outdoor nativity scene are backed with a rustic wood and straw lean-to which makes a realistic stable. The display is set on the front lawn of the church. The theme, "Christmas for Christ" is posed on a multi-color three by five foot billboard beside the scene. (Marvin Smith photo)

More Gas for Area

Heat for 43,000 on Waiting List

Northern Illinois Gas Company is planning to send out authorization letters to about 43,000 on its residential space heat waiting list next week according to Marvin Chandler, the utility's president. The current release will cover all on the company's waiting list who applied prior to about the beginning of 1957. (Specifically, on or before Feb. 7, 1957, for existing homes (homes occupied when applications were made) and on or before Jan. 11, 1957, for individual new homes (homes not occupied on date when applications were made)).

"We were pleased to be informed late today (Dec. 19) that full clearance had been received from the Federal Power Commission by Natural Gas Pipeline Company of America for the remaining portion (85 million cubic feet) of that company's original petition to bring an additional 185 million cubic feet of natural gas daily to the Chicagoland area."

Last summer the FPC granted Natural Gas Pipeline permission to proceed with plans covering 100 million of the original request for delivery of 185 million cubic feet of natural gas daily to the Chicagoland area. Ni-Gas' share of about 33 million cubic feet daily made possible 35,000 authorizations on July 31.

Chandler said that Northern Illinois Gas Company's share of the newly-authorized Natural Gas Pipeline's daily increment will be 28 million cubic feet.

"A review of the company's present natural gas pipeline supplies and peak shaving facilities plus this further pipeline gas indicates we can now issue about 43,000 additional authorizations," Chandler explained.

"While this new supply helps," Chandler noted, "we are also hopeful that we can obtain additional supplies (for which Ni-Gas has contracted) of more than 110 million cubic feet in time for the 1959-60 peak season."

He pointed out that when these authorizations are connected, NI-Gas will be supplying natural gas to heat approximately 320,000 homes in its 20-county service territory in northern Illinois. A waiting list of about 70,000 still remains, Chandler said.

State Scholarships

17 Area Students Semi-Finalists

Six Lincoln-Way High school students and 11 from Carl Sandburg are among the 3,718 semi-finalists announced Tuesday by the Illinois state scholarship commissions.

These students have been selected from more than 16,000 high school seniors who completed the three hour examination given Nov. 22 on 70 college and university campuses in Illinois. This is the second year state scholarships have been offered to Illinois residents. The examination was drawn up for the scholarship commission by Science Research Associates of Chicago.

The Lincoln-Way winners, all seniors of course, are Dona Anderson, Marie LaVinn, both of New Lenox; Patricia Bradley, Frankfort; Wayne Klasing, New Lenox; Charles Otto Frankfort and James Landfried, Mokena.

Sandburg winners are: Mary Ann Merwin, Robert Stoutenour, Reed Williams, and Robert DeVoursney, Orland Park, Norman Behn and Philip Yurtis, Palos Heights; William Johnson, Arlene Kamis, Merle Martin, Mehlin Smith, all of Palos Park, and Robert Stellwagen, Tinley Park.

They have been notified of their selection individually by the commission and furnished with application blanks which must be filled out and sent in not later than Jan. 15.

On these blanks the student lists the college of his choice; his course of study and whether he may need some financial assistance in getting thru college.

It will be sometime in March before selection of the finalists has been completed and the results made public.

Each scholarship is renewable for the normal four year undergraduate program, if students meet the academic requirements of the college of their choice. Continued residence in Illinois and evidence of financial aid are necessary for renewal of monetary assistance.

These scholarships are for colleges and universities within the boundaries of Illinois. In 1958 the first year of operation for the scholarship commission, a total of 2,160 Illinois students enrolled in 68 Illinois colleges.

It is expected approximately 2,200 winners will be selected out of the semi-finalists.

Some of these selected as finalists are called honorary winners which means that they are in no need of financial assistance and so receive none.

Judging from last year's experience the commission expects to appoint about 1,500 monetary winners and 700 in the honorary category.

Rose Bechstein Will Admitted; 9 Heirs Named

The estate of Mrs. Rose Bechstein, widow of William Bechstein, a Mokena banker, left her estate to be divided equally among two sisters, a brother and six nieces and nephews. The estate is valued at $15,000 in personal property.

Mrs. Bechstein also owned the home in which she resided at Mokena. Her will provides that a sister, Mrs. Lydia Ryan, who lived with Mrs. Bechstein may continue to use the home for the remainder of her life.

Mrs. Bechstein died Aug. 29, 1958. The will was signed Aug. 12, 1947, and nominated a niece, Marguerite Schweser, of 427 Linden ave., Joliet, as executor.

The other sister is Mrs. Louise Schweser, of the Linden ave. address, and the brother is Erhard Oswald, of Bensonville. The other nieces besides Miss Schweser are Romana Moran, Rosa Mapes and Ophelia Logan. The nephews are Dolph and Harry Oswald. Another sister, Mrs. Emma Hauck was named as an heir but she preceded Mrs. Bechstein in death and was without issue.

The will was admitted to probate by Judge Stewart C. Hutchison last Friday.

Jack Gnadinger of Herschback, Tracy and Guedinger represents the estate.

Mrs. Bechstein had a life interest in the estate of her husband that now passes to his two daughters.

Early Deadlines Again in Effect For Next Week

Early deadlines will again be in effect for receipt of news items due to the New Year's Day holiday on Thursday. The Semmler newspapers, the News-Bulletin, New Lenox Press, Orland Park Herald and the Tinley Park Times will be published Wednesday of next week instead of Thursday. Therefore, news items should be submitted to us on Friday for insertion in next week's issue.

Slavery is but half abolished, emancipation is but half completed, while millions of free-men with votes in their hands are left without education. Robert Charles Winthrop.

No Warning Tickets

Holiday Traffic Violators to get Works

"Traffic Condition Red", a state-wide alert aimed at reducing Illinois traffic accidents during the Christmas holiday, goes into effect at 6 p.m. tonight.

Robert A. Campbell, State Co-ordinator of Traffic Safety, said today, "the alert is to warn motorists of the increased danger in driving during the holiday".

The alert also will serve notice that all Illinois police agencies have begun an all-out enforcement campaign, Campbell said.

During the alert, which will last until midnight, Dec. 28, the entire 1,167-man state police force, local authorities and three air patrols will be utilized in a stepped up traffic law enforcement program.

State Police Chief William Morris said his troopers will be severe with traffic law violators and no warning tickets will be issued by state police during the holidays. All violators will be cited, Morris said.

"A strict enforcement policy is the best way to keep holiday accidents and fatalities to a minimum", Morris said.

Both state and local authorities said they will crack down especially on speeding, drunk driving and failure to observe stop signs—three of the main causes of traffic accidents.

Chief Morris said that in addition to the 933 State Police cars on patrol during the holiday, there will be 37 unmarked, radio-equipped cars provided by Secretary of State Charles F. Carpentier. These 37 cars will be manned by investigators from Carpentier's office who have the same pow-

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Start Plans For Addition to Lincoln-Way High

Voters of Lincoln-Way high school district approved a $500,000 bond issue last Saturday to provide funds to build an addition to the plant. The addition is necessary because of a steadily growing enrollment.

There was a small vote cast less than 1,300. Of this number 755 were in favor of the expansion program and 539 against. It carried in all precincts. Altho only 81 votes were cast in Lincoln Estates, it was there that the proposition carried best. It was approved there about four to one.

The district was divided into five voting precincts. The vote in each was:

	Yes	No
New Lenox	297	190
Frankfort	152	125
Lincoln Estates	64	17
Mokena	158	125
Manhattan	84	82
Totals	755	539

The controversy over tax assessments in New Lenox township may have brought out some negative votes in that township, it was said, and probably there would have been more but for the fact that the Taxpayers Equality Association, which launched the fight on inequities revealed in the tax assessment rolls, campaigned strongly for the bond issue. Another group, calling itself the Frankfort Township Taxpayers Association, was the only organized opposition to the bond issue.

Childs and Smith, architects were notified Monday by Superintendent A Hunter Chapman that the bond issue had carried and they reported that they would start on the working drawings immediately. It was expected that it would be about two months to complete this phase of the program and they hoped to get bids around the first of April. If this schedule is carried out work on the addition should begin before May, it was hoped.

The board would like to have the addition ready for use by September, 1960 The plans include several classrooms, a multi purpose room and additions to the boys' and girls' locker rooms.

The community unit district that is under consideration in Joliet does not, of course, affect the Lincoln-Way high school district but it does include five sections in the New Lenox grade school district that are also a part of the Joliet high school district. The area is in the northwest part of New Lenox township. It is said that the New Lenox grade school district would be better off without these sections because of the transportation problem involved.

The only thing the unit district program does to the New Lenox grade district is that it cannot hold a bond election until the unit petition is finally disposed of, it was explained.

Communities Get Sales Tax Returns For September

Most communities received an increased share of September's state sales tax.

Tinley Park received $2,472., New Lenox $1,278., Mokena $629., Frankfort $613., and Orland Park $587.

Christians Observe The Birth of Christ At Special Services

Special church services will be held thruout the area during Christmas week.

In Orland Park, the Methodist church will have a Christmas Eve candlelight service at 11 p.m.

The Christ Evangelical Lutheran church will have a children's Christmas program on Dec. 24, at 7:30 p.m. On Dec. 25, a Christmas Festival service will be conducted at 10 a.m.

A midnight mass will be held in St. Michael's church Christmas Eve with a second mass at 1 a.m. On Christmas Day masses will be held at 7-8-9-10-11 and 12 a.m.

The Sacred Heart church in Palos will also have midnight mass with a second mass at 1 a.m. and a third at 1:30 a.m. The Christmas Day masses will be at 7:30-8:30-9:30-10:30-11:30 and 12:30 a.m.

The traditional midnight Choral Eucharist at the Church of the Transfiguration in Palos Park, will begin on Christmas Eve at 11 p.m. with carols.

Music will be furnished by the adult choir under the direction of Mrs. Doris Essig. Mrs. William Patton, Mrs. Ruth Hudson and Mrs. John Johanson will be the featured soloists. The Rev. Chester C. Hand, Jr., will deliver the Christmas sermon.

On Christmas Day at 10 a.m. the children's choir under the direction of Mrs. O. W. Perlmutter, will sing at the Choral Eucharist. Assisting the children's choir at the organ will be Miss Karen Mortenson.

At the Trinity Evangelical Lutheran church in New Lenox there will be a Christmas program presented by the Sunday school on Christmas Eve at 7:30 p.m., and Candlelight service at 11 p.m. A special service will be held on New Year's Eve at 8 p.m.

On Christmas Eve at 11:30 p.m. Fr. Humphrey C. Dixon, vicar of Grace Episcopal church, will officiate at a midnight Holy Communion service. Mrs. Sam Carr, organist and choir director, has prepared a special program of Christmas music. On Christmas Day at 10 a.m., Holy Communion will be observed at a special service.

In Frankfort, the Methodist church will have a candlelight service on Christmas Eve at 7:30 p.m.

At St. Peter's church the children's division will present a program at 7:30 p.m. on Christmas Eve, the theme, "O Worship the King". At 11:30 p.m. a candlelight service will be held with special music by the choir.

At 7:30 p.m. Christmas Eve, the senior Youth Fellowship will participate in a candlelight service. A real life creche with Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Wells and infant son, Ronnie will add to the solemn service.

The Mokena Methodist church is having a Christmas Eve candlelight service at 11 p.m.

At St. John's United church there will be a candlelight service on Christmas Eve at 11 p.m.

The feast of Christmas will be celebrated with the following services at St. Mary church. There will be a midnight high mass preceded by the procession to and blessing of the crib. There will be another mass immediately following midnight mass at 1 a.m. The other masses on Christmas morning will be at the following times: 8-9-10 and 11 a.m.

The music for the Christmas masses will be sung by the school children under the direction of Sister Helen Ann.

The services at St. Anthony church, Lincoln Estates will be at the following times: midnight, 8 a.m. and 9 a.m.

Plan Campaign

Will Begin Drive for Fire House Fund at Mokena After 1st of Year

The house to house fund campaign for the proposed Mokena fire house has been put over until after the holidays, it was announced by those in charge.

The drive will be held sometime after the first of the year. The department, which is a community volunteer organization which responds to all alarms in the area without question or fee, purchased a lot on Front street, near Midland ave., in Mokena recently and proposes to erect a structure there that will accommodate its equipment and a space where members can conduct their meetings. It is estimated the building will cost about $18,000.

The department now uses the village hall but that place is too small to house the equipment. As a result one piece of equipment, a tanker, must be left outside--a fact that leaves it practically useless in real cold weather. And when the temperature is near zero, it was pointed out, that is the time when most fires occur.

Meanwhile, the department has sent out a letter to all residents of the Mokena area explaining the program. The Mokena department does not share in any tax money and must depend solely upon contributions by the householders and business people.

Usually such contributions are made by the purchase of tickets for the annual dance sponsored by the department. It was 12 years ago that the department made its last door-to-door appeal for direct subscriptions to a fund raised to purchase a pumper.

Realizing that the holidays probably have left many of the people in the area somewhat short of cash, the fire department has announced that it will be glad to take pledges, with the payments to be made over a three-month period.

The department's membership will be divided into two-man teams for the actual solicitation of funds, it was explained.

Officers of Plan Commission Are Re-Elected

At its regular meeting Wednesday, Dec. 17, the Mokena Plan Commission re-elected Maurice P. Angland, chairman; Albert Kuchenbecker, vice chairman; and Leo Marcoux as secretary-treasurer, to serve for the year 1959.

Mayor James Marti also announced appointments to fill vacancies on the Commission and of those members whose terms expire with the year end. He advised the Commission that his appointment were made with the objective of having representation for both the Village of Mokena and the area outside the village limits which will come under village controls under state law when the master plan has been filed. He was also desirous of appointing members who are willing to devote the time and energy necessary.

The 1959 Plan Commission will be: Maurice P. Angland, Eric Book, Les Brownlee, Elias Brown, Arthur Jackson, Lawrence Kohl, Albert Kuchenbecker, Fred Lehmann, Leo Marcoux Berle Needham, and Henry Shevlin.

Elias Brown is Toastmaster at New Lenox Club

New Lenox Toastmasters held their regular dinner meeting Monday in the New Lenox Methodist church. Ladies of the church served the dinner in the Fellowship hall of the Sunday school.

Elias Brown, of Mokena, was toastmaster. Formal speeches were made by: John Burlingame, "The Good Old Days", by Lloyd Lindstrom, "Christmas U.S.A.", and by Ronald Whitaker, "The End of the Beginning".

Ronald Whitaker's speech was his twelfth before the club, completing his preliminary group covering various phases of speech presentation and entitling him to proceed into more advanced training.

Speeches and meeting were evaluated by William Heidrich, with the assistance of Lew Loebe and Glenn Conschalk, area lieutenant-governor of Toastmasters.

New Lenox Tax Mix-Up Traced To Clerical Error

Clerical errors in the department of assessments at the Will county treasurer's office were found responsible for the marked inequalities and variances in the assessment roll recently published covering lots and lands in New Lenox township.

An investigation was launched at the court house following protests on the assessments by the New Lenox Taxpayers Equality Association.

Meade Baltz, chairman of the county board of supervisors and as such chairman of the board of review which has the last word on valuations; Roy Doerfler, who took office only this month as county treasurer and so had no connection with assessments made this year; Floyd H. Krapf, of Green Garden, whose term as treasurer has just ended, and State's Attorney Frank H. Masters went into a huddle last week. After talking with probably a dozen persons they discovered that there had been a misunderstanding of instructions relative to the New Lenox books and the process of preparing them had been reversed in part. Some of the figures were entered properly but in a portion of the book they were all in error because old figures had been mistakenly set down for new.

The "how" part of the puzzle having been solved there still remains another part--"what is to be done?"

At the present writing no decision has been reached as to the course to be followed.

Should a reassessment be made?

Who could order such a step?

Should the board of review make adjustments?

Should new books be prepared using the figures prepared by the department of assessments in the treasurer's office, only this time entered correctly?

Should the assessment list be re-published and if so who has authority to order such publication?

These and many other questions of a technical, legal nature are now being studied and those in charge expect an early solution.

The original assessment turned in this year by the New Lenox assessor, George Marshall, was declared to be too low and a re-assessment was made under the direction of James Davis, in charge of the department of assessments. By the time the rolls were finally ready for publication it was December. The board of review had originally fixed Dec. 18 as the deadline for any complaints but when it was discovered there were many errors in the list Chairman Baltz extended the time for such hearings pending further study. Complaints are still being received.

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SANTA GREETS CHILDREN—in Orland Park the waiting in line to talk with Santa a trifle as he alights from fire truck which broughtcold, but children were warm with anticipa him to the scene. Oldsters might have found tion. (Marvin Smith photo)

Country Club Hills

City Clerk Will be in Office Saturday to Issue Vehicle Tags

By CHLOE WHITE
SYcamore 8-6620

For the convenience of resident of Country Club Hills, Mrs. Virginia Bennison, city clerk, will be at the Model House on Saturday, Dec. 27 between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. to issue motor vehicle tags.

The annual fee is $4 for each passenger vehicle and trucks that do not exceed 1½ tons capacity. Motorcycles and motor bicycles tags carry a fee of $3 and for trucks over 1½ tons a tag costs $8.

It will be unlawful for any resident to operate a motor vehicle on the streets of the city after Jan. 1, 1959 without a tag. Residents are urged to get them now

Each resident of the community has received a letter from the members of the city council giving an accounting of activities and accomplishments of elected officials since they assumed office in September, 1958.

ZONING COMMISSION

The planning and zoning commission has received from the City Council a proposed subdivision plat for Unit VII which will extend from Flossmoor road on the south to approximately 189th street on the north and from Cicero avenue on the West to Baer avenue on the east.

Typical lot sizes will be 75 x 135 feet or 10,125 square feet total as proposed.

The proposed area will include 219 lots with a commercial area of 2.8 acres at the corner of Cicero avenue and Flossmoor road.

This proposal is now under study by the planning and zoning commission.

There is also a proposal for re-subdivision in the hands of the Commission which will vacate approximately nine acres to be set aside for public use (parks etc.) in the vicinity of Baker avenue and running north of 187th street.

Donald Schwenk, chairman, announced that the proposed zoning ordinance is now complete and announcement of a public hearing will be made shortly.

SCHOOL DIST. 160

The various school rooms have been bustling with Christmas activities this past week. Some of the children presented special programs for their parents in the afternoon and all were treated to parties to celebrate the holidays. The junior high classes at Central school had their party Friday evening at the school. There was dancing, games and delicious refreshments.

At the recent school board meeting the board gave authority to include a program of art and music at the junior high school level and also the employment of a person to assist the staff members in this program.

The members also have authorized the use of Ray Whiteside to act as attorney for the board of education.

WOMEN'S CLUB

The Women's club of Country Club Hills had a hilarious time at their annual Christmas party last week. The executive board held a fashion show of hats they made and modeled themselves. Acting as mannequins were Lillian Thomas, Joyce Olson, Phyllis Livingston, Marie Younkers, Mary McDonald, Delores Kuznicki, Delores McGrath and Edna Thacker.

The women also exchanged hilarious grab bag gifts, played games and a good time was had by all.

The members now are looking towards their first sponsored dance, Cupid's Ball, to be held on Feb. 7 at Saenger Hall.

ST. JOSEPH CHURCH

Plans are progressing nicely for the gala New Year's Eve celebration to be given for members and friends of St. Joseph's church. The affair is to begin at 9 p.m. An orchestra is to be engaged and the festivities are to be held in St. Joseph's hall. The affair is to be catered so the women can enjoy the evening and the guarantee is that you will have "all you can eat". For tickets and information the man to call is Stan Ginz, SY 8-7120.

UNITED CHRISTIAN CHURCH

The Christmas program at the church was held in the Cooper's Grove school this past Sunday. The pot-luck supper was followed by the Christmas pageant, presented by the church school. Those who took parts were: Evelyn Ebert, Ted Kraefft Jr., Gary Van Horn, Sammy Sokolowski, Joe Shank, Sandra Raddatz, Katherine White, Pat Barthel, Ray Bergmann, Jr., Bill Barthel, and Lloyd Belcher. Alice MacKenzie was in charge of the lovely program assisted by Eva Hoewing. Other workers were: Bob Landeen, Art Ebert, Lois Pew, and many teachers who helped with their classes.

Another feature of the program was the "Night Before Christmas". Zenon Sykuta was St. Nick, and the Norm Olson family also had part. Two and three year olds in sleepers also enjoyed their bit in the program. Children toys or clothing wrapped brought "White Gifts", in white, for our orphanage in St. Louis as a special feature to help them appreciate the meaning of Christmas. After the evening program, several family groups struck out in the snow to go caroling and a good time was had by all.

The church is planning a lovely Christmas Eve service at 7:30, Dec. 24. The meditation and music will be quite different and unique and all in the community are urged to join in this meaningful 45 minute service. A Nursery will be provided in the school building No. 3.

The Christian Women's Fellowship was held Wednesday night in the Thomas Lane school. Hazel Marquardsen has charge of the worship.

The Rev. Wendell Pew, pastor, sang "O Holy Night" and Gloria Arnistead presented a monologue on the Christmas theme. Refreshments were served by Naomi group.

Representatives from the Christian Women's Fellowship spent Tuesday afternoon at the Tinley Park Hospital bringing goodies, carols and Christmas wishes to the patients here.

BRAND NEW— Police car brings smile to face of Eugene Yunker, police chief of Orland Park, as he proudly stands beside it. The car was put into service last Friday. (Marvin Smith photo)

GIRL SCOUTS

Wednesday evening, Dec. 10, the adult volunteers of the girl scout troops met with Mrs. Grace Heitmann, professional scouter from Harvey office working with District 5, and voted to become a Neighborhood. We were formerly a part of the Flossmoor Neighborhood. This Neighborhood is to be called Country Club Hills Neighborhood council. Mrs. Wesley Zimmerman was elected Neighborhood chairman and will be installed on Jan. 22 at the annual South Cook County Council meeting.

MISCELLENY

All teachers in School District 160 were entertained at an open house held at the home of Supt. and Mrs. Zenon Sykuta last Tuesday.

Kyle Behringer has finally come thru with the quarter he swallowed a couple of weeks ago . . . everyone is much relieved.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Nordgren gave a smorgasbord dinner for members of Dollye's sorority, Alpha Chi Omega, and their husbands. There were 40 people gorging themselves on her good cooking and Loran's Glogg.

Shirley Heims was hostess to a group of neighbors at a Christmas party last week. Diving madly in the grab bag for gifts were Joan Travis, Joan Wians, Etta Amundsen, Donna Nelson, Emma Mills, Irene Cobb, Charlene Meyers, Sue Lingle, Arlene Johnson, Eleanor Founds and Margaret Froelich.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Landeen entertained members of the Couples club from the church they formerly attended.

Mrs. Pat Horton entertained School District 160 teachers and spouses at her home in Orland Park at a Christmas Party.

Your correspondent was feted at a genuine "surprise" birthday party last Tuesday given by Mr. and Mrs. Donald Schwenk. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gaertner, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hancock, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Galiga, Mrs. Charlene Eggers, Mrs. Joan Irvine, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sutton, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Landenberger, Mrs. George Shaffner and Mr. and Mrs. Charles

Well, as that lovable old Van Horn.
cynic la Rochefocauld once said, "Joyeux Noel". Fini 'till next week . . .

Marley

Missionary Group Hold Annual Pot Luck Yule Dinner

By VIRGINIA SASS
New Lenox 3133

The Marley Missionary society met at the church Wednesday for their annual pot luck Christmas dinner party. Dinner was served at noon from long tables centered with Christmas arrangements. The hostesses were Mrs. Loren Sass, Mrs. Arthur Lauffer, Mrs. Victor Zaloudek and Mrs James Frazer. Rev. Ray Hamer presented the devotions and the program on "Far Judean Hills" was given by Mrs. Clare Berg.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Sass and daughters Cheryl and Verda Jo entertained at a family dinner party in their home Sunday evening. Guests were Mrs. Vivian Morton of Joliet, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Sass, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Sass, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sass and children Larry and Debbie.

Christmas Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sievert will be guests in the Martin Jungles home in Homer.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Elliott will entertain at a dinner in their home. The guests will be Mr. and Mrs. Robert Whitcomb and son Bobby of Cleveland, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Elliott and son Tommy and Mrs. Minnie Cummings of New Lenox; and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ingram and children Charles, Phillip and Alyce.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lauffer will spend the day with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Russel Lauffer, Charles, Alma, Jean and David.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sproat and daughter Bonnie will be Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Gillette, Miss Bessie Sproat, Glenn Sproat and Harry Sproat.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Killinger of Joliet; Mr. and Mrs. Durward Killinger and children Scott and Susan and Mrs. Adella Sproat will be entertained at a dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sproat and children Laurel and David.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Sass and daughters Cheryl and Verda Jo will go to Melrose Park to be guests at dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Peterson.

Guests in the Frank Liszt home will be Mr. and Mrs. George Vogt and family of Allegan, Mich. and Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Sass.

A meeting will be held at the Homer town hall Thursday night, Jan. 8 to form an auxiliary to the newly formed fire department. All women in Homer township are cordially invited to attend.

4-H NEWS

TINLEY HUSTLERS

A meeting was held at the home of Allen Schultz on Dec. 8. Panel discussions were given by Jean Siemsen, Barbara Manzke, Alvin Wille, Walter Wille and Earl Bettenhausen.

The members decided to send gifts to Hines Hospital in the near future.

A Christmas party was held after the meeting games and songs were enjoyed by all. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Schultz.

(Barbara Manzke, reporter)

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Clover Belles

The home of Carol Monson was the scene of a Christmas party Dec. 12. A brief meeting was held. Books and member ship cards were given out to members. Also Candy Pettit was accepted as a new member. A talk on color was given by Carol Monson.

Gifts were exchanged between members. Games were played and refreshments served by Carol and Mrs. Monson

The next meeting will be held at the home of Carol and Margie Kimmel Jan. 16.

Lincoln Estates

Governor Sends Congratulations To Local Couple

By MRS. EMIL WILLE
Frankfort 3161

Mr. and Mrs. Arno Pauling received a letter of congratulations from Governor and Mrs. William Stratton on the occasion of their 54th wedding anniversary. Mrs. Pauling is still at the Dixmoor Convalesent Home, but hopes to be home for Christmas.

Thomas Arendt spent the weekend in northern Wisconsin deer hunting. He reports the weather was very cold. He saw some deer but was not successful in bagging any.

Mrs. Betty Hamilton has returned to her home in Miami, Fla., after spending the last few months visiting her sister, Mrs. Albert Swatek Sr. and other relatives and friends.

New Citizens

HAZEL CREST

Dec. 16—

Mr. and Mrs. John Hughes 17844 66th ct., Tinley Park, a boy, James Richard.

Dec. 21—

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Watson, 15716 W. 113th ct., Orland Park, a girl, Shirleelee.

ST. LUKE'S

Dec. 15—

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Buege 6541 W. 175th st., Tinley Park a girl, Patricia Ann.

DECEMBER 29 THRU JANUARY 31

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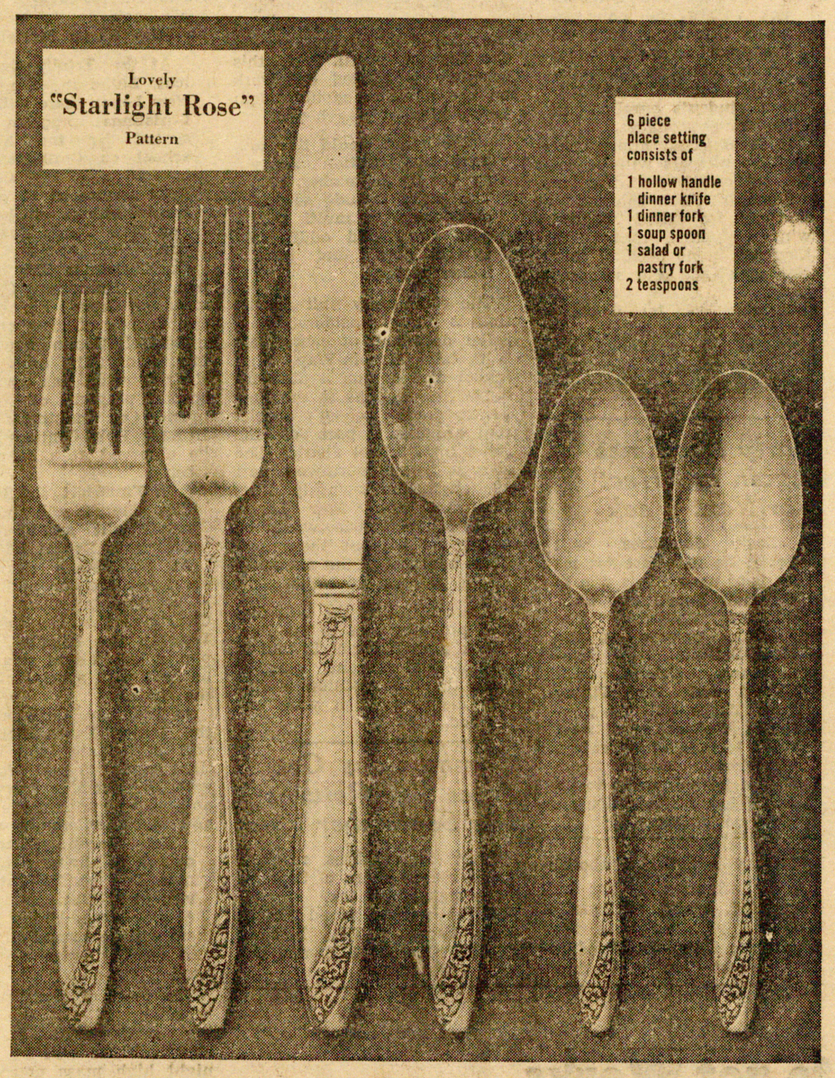

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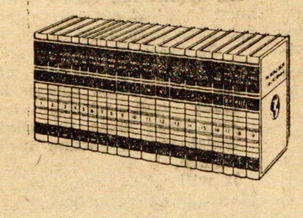

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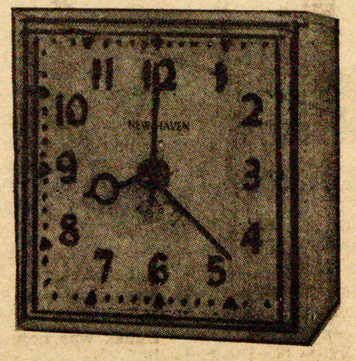

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Editorials

Merry Christmas

We are in a mellow mood.

Our blood pressure is pacing along at an even, normal gait. Our boiling or flash point seems to be firmly under control and our indignation —the righteous type of course— which can generate a fair head of steam on fairly quick notice, has apparently gone off on a trip to some sunny clime and if any seething is done it will be done there.

We have no desire to scold, nor pontificate.

Ordinarily such a condition might cause alarm and send us rushing to consult our neighbor on this page who writes the health column, for we might well believe that we were sick—sick—sick!

But a glance at the calendar is sufficient. At this time of the rolling year—to borrow from creator of Tiny Tim—we are always in a mellow frame of mind. And we trust that use of the word "mellow" will not be misconstrued. For t he record we should like to state that the word "mellow" has no connection with any spirits, either living, dead or bottled.

Christmas time should be a joyous time. There is no room in this season for arguments, quarrels or strife. We have them, human nature being what it is, but on the whole people's better nature seems to prevail at the yuletide.

People are more aware of injustices, of the needs of their fellow beings, and endeavor to correct or meet them.

Thanksgiving is usually described as a family day. Christmas time is not only a family time but the stranger is welcome too. Christmas time is also the time when old friends take time out from the rush everyone seems to be in at this season to visit and recall happy moments they have shared. This really is an amazing thing! It is magic—Christmas magic! And under its spell people whose time is so taken the rest of the year that an occasional telephone call is their only chance to keep in touch with friends, re-discover at Christmas time that friendship is a precious thing and suddenly find time, despite all the rushing, running, holiday hurry, to write or call on old friends.

Christmas magic is indeed potent stuff. It makes folks kinder, it makes people more tolerant, it makes it easier for them to smile — and really mean it.

"Peace on earth, good will toward men," the angels sang on that first Christmas night. Too many of us shake our heads and say it can never be, that men are too greedy, too selfish.

But if all of us would keep Christmas in our hearts thru the whole year instead of confining it to a couple of weeks in December the promise in the song of the angels would be fulfilled.

Meanwhile, from all of us to all of you: Merry Christmas!

On Second Thot

by
GLENN F. LOGAN

According to the astronomers the longest day of the year comes in June. Perhaps the astronomers have forgotten t h e y were o n c e children. I f they remembered t h a t t h e y might revise their data.

The longest day in the year for millions of children is the day before Christmas.

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It is long enough in households where the Christmas packages are opened late on Christmas eve. But for youngsters in families where the gifts are not seen until Christmas day, each hour becomes a full year and the waiting is almost unbearable.

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What Santa will bring becomes not a mere $64,000 question. Suspense and anticipation has built it up at least to $64 million and many an excited moppet would shriekingly make it trillions.

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Apparently Santa has softened up in the past several decades or else has a new system of bookkeeping. He still frowns on misconduct but doesn't cut off all hope for the bad.

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When this writer was young Santa Claus was somewhat sterner. When good children hung up their stockings on Christmas eve they could go to bed with some assurance that when day finally dawned they would find that good St. Nick had filled the stockings with candy, nuts and oranges.

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But if one were bad? It made one shudder to think of the dismal fate that awaited those fallen from grace. They weren't just cut off, and their stockings left empty. Oh no. That way onlookers might think that Santa had been so tired from his long trip and going up and down chimneys that he simply overlooked the stocking, or concievably, had run out of supplies.

No, there must be no doubt and the grown-ups were not slow in publicizing the end resule. If one were bad, that is bad enough to be so listed on St. Nick's books, he could expect to find his stockings filled with ashes and topped off with a heavy switch or whip.

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I never saw such a stocking nor did I ever hear, at first hand, of any friends or acquaintances who received one. It was always some boy in another part of town. And of course, other towns had many youths whose trans gressions h a d doomed them to a switch and ash es at Christmas time.

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We loved good St. Nick but we also had a wholesome respect for the old fellow. He cast a long shadow indeed and his arm was even longer than that vague but terrifying figure in our minds that represented federal authority, thought of and referred to in awed tones as The Government.

To do anything that might bring down upon the offender the wrath of either of these two personages was too risky for most of us to consider.

I recall one occasion when we were having a wonderful time throwing mudballs at each other. One of the boys ducked just as a particularly large earthen missile came zooming at him from close range, and it spattered all over a mailbox before which he had been standing.

Evereyone i n s t antly froze. We were stunned, we were horrified. Then we came to life. Mudballs and arms were dropped and we fled. For days after we lived in terror, fear ful that any moment the man we thought of as The Government would come for us and to make matters worse someone suggested that perhaps Santa Claus in his omniscience had noted the deed and had marked it down. Santa, we were sure, would be on the side of The Government.

The boy who threw the mud caught most of our displeasure but the youngster who dodged was blamed too. Far better for him to have been splattered than The Government's mailbox. Government property was sancrosanct in those days.

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As days and weeks passed and no one came for us we began to feel easier but didn't figure we were really in the clear until Christmas came and went without ashes and switches in our stockings.

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My grandfathers, both of whom were born in Kentucky, used to entertain me with stories of Christmas there when they were boys. One of the traditions that made me envious was the custom of men and boys to arm themselves with rifles and pistols and then start out Christmas morning to make calls.

They would endeavor to approach a house unseen, loose a volley—in the air of course —and at the same time shout, "Christmas Gift." If successful the householder had to treat the callers.

On the other hand, if the householder saw them in time for him to fire a gun and yell "Christmas Gift," he did not have to stand treat. However, few clung to the letter of the rules and regardless of who shot or hollered first, food and drink were set out and when the group left the householder usually went with it.

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In the deep south firecrackers were always a part of the Christmas celebration and when I was a youngster in Missouri we too had firecrackers at Christmas.

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But no one ever thought of using them to set a booby trap for Santa. He was a jolly old fellow alright, but he carried switches and whips in his pack. Remember? And he could use them too. Look at the speed he gets out of those reindeer.

LINCOLN LOG

FHA HIGHLIGHTS

Norma Heidrick, FHA President called the December 16th business meeting to order. There were then reports on the activities of the club. Then a visit from Mrs. Santa Claus, portrayed by Carol Secondorf, presented Christmas gifts to foreign student: Ella Jensen, chapter mother: Mrs. William Heidrick, chapter a d v i s o r s: Miss Roselyn Wise and Mrs. Marcia VanCleave.

Written by Pat Loucks, a skit was presented on "The Modern Day Scrooge." Those who participated were Diane Sorensen, Ann Major, Leona Bormet, Cindy M o r r i s o n, Louise Berg, and Pat Loucks. The meeting was closed by the singing of Christmas carols.

Your Doctor Reports

Back Trouble

An acquaintance of mine, a mattress manufacturer, once consulted me because his back troubled him. After I had completed my examination, I told him that he had a solution to his back problem in his own factory. He replied that I must be wrong because he had been using a very firm mattress for six months without relief. However, as I quickly learned, this patient always sleeps on his side or stomach — in these positions no mattress does much good.

This brief anecdote is typical of the great lack of understanding about the common backache — even the mattress manufacturer may not always know how to apply his own product to the problem.

Most backaches occur across the lower back, not too far above the end of the spine. The ache may be present on arising in the morning — the back feels stiff. A f t e r one moves around a bit the back feels better, it limbers up. However as the day wears on, the back tends to feel tired and then begins to ache again. Lifting heavy objects or excessive bending worsens these symptons. Occasionally there may be sharp, shooting pains or soreness extending down the back of either thigh.

These are the types of complaints most commonly associated with back trouble. There are several causes of this type of difficulty. It is rarely due to kidney disease — pain from the kidney occurs higher up, just below the lowest ribs.

Pain can arise from any one of the structures that are part of the lower back: the bones which form the spinal column, the strong muscles which support the trunk, the ligaments which bind the spinal bones to each other and t o t he pelvic bones, or the nerves which leave the spinal cord in this area. In addition, certain abnormalities of circulation or the female organs can also produce low back pain.

Thus it is a complicated problem and often it requires a thorough examination by the doctor, including x-rays of the spine, to determine the precise cause for the pain. Although most backaches are not serious medical problems, occasionally a condition producing low back pain requires fairly urgent diagnosis and treatment. Hence it is important to consult your physician without excessive delay if a backache persists.

The great majority of backaches are described in medical terms as "low back strain." Frequently the patient can recall an old athletic injury or fall that started off the symptoms. Many times there has been no injury but the patient does heavy labor and may also be overweight. Under these circumstances the trouble is due to repeated or constant strain of the muscles or ligaments that are located in the area of pain. Rarely are bones "out of place" or nerves "being pinched." Significant bone or nerve abnormalities almost always force the patient to seek medical help without delay.

The treatment for the common back disorders is usually simple and successful if the patient follows instructions faithfully. It involves exercise to strengthen the muscles, resting and sleeping on one's back on a firm surface. Occasionally a board under the mattress may be necessary during some phase of treatment. The muscles and ligaments are most relaxed and heal most rapidly when the back is supported on a firm surface. Other forms of treatment are available in stubborn cases.

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Plan Repeat of PTA Leadership Training Program in the Spring

Concluding a 10 week series of instruction recently trainees from Dist. 19, PTA, in a parent education lay leadership training course have received certificates of recognition to that effect.

Held weekly in the Miller room of the Memorial YMCA at Harvey, class members represent 14 communities in south Cook County.

Mrs. Richard Piehl, 2044 High Street, Blue Island, district assistant in Parent Education, was assisted in organizing the course for district 19 by Mrs. Anthony Blasi, 8733 California Avenue, Evergreen Park. Advisors in the course were Mrs. Edmund Jaracz, 76 W. Hickory, Chicago Heights; Mrs. Charles Barr, 21320 Kildare Avenue, Matteson, and Mrs. Russell Martin, Route 30, Matteson.

Trainees begin with a study of child development — physical, intellectual, e m o t i o n a l and social. Study material includes recommended b o o k s and pamphlets, articles in the National Parent-Teacher magazine and group discussion of this material, where techniques are learned.

They are then divided into small sub-groups where each group chooses a t opic, studies, and makes advance preparation as a unit, for demonstration before the large group.

Techniques are varied in demonstration groups; lecture, symposium, p a n e l, roundtable, skits and role playing. Radio, TV, movies, films, puppets and dramatization are some additional resources to bring interest and discussion to a high level.

Local PTA units can now take advantage of their new leader's training.

Persons interested in this type of endeavor will have an opportunity to enroll in a leadership class in September, 1959, when this course will be repeated. Local PTA presidents will be supplied with all necessary information in the spring.

40 Acres of Farm Land is Annexed To Tinley Park

A petition for annexation of 40 acres bounded on the east by Harlem ave., on the south by 171st st., on the west by Oketo, if extended, and on the north by 169th st., if extended, was accepted by the Tinley Park village board at Monday's meeting.

The petitioner was George H. Lindermann. Presently farm land, all annexed areas come into the village under residential classification. Under which residential class it will fall is determined by a hearing of the Plan Commission, according to the village attorney, Robert Biederman.

Letters to the Editor

AT STATE HOSPITAL

Dear Sir:

I would like to t ake this opportunity to express, on behalf of the entire staff, my sincere appreciation for the interest which People of this area you have shown in our patients over the Thanksgiving holidays. The opportunity which you have offered some of these patients to visit your churches and homes during this holiday has meant a great deal to them. I sincerely hope that you will once again extend your yarm hospitality over this coming holiday season.

For those of you who are not acquainted with our holiday program and would like to take one of our patients to church or visit in your home for a few hours, please contact Mr. Baruch, Chief, Social Service Department, by calling KEllog 2-4355. Only those patients who can benefit from such an opportunity are considered for this program.

Sincerely,
John L. Cutler M.D.
Superintendent
Tinley Park State Hospital

Entertain 2,600 Patients at Oak Forest Hospital

The 2,600 patients of the Oak Forest hospital, a Cook county hospital devoted to chronic illnesses at 159th and Cicero, are providing a most appreciative and enthusiastic audience for many groups entertaining there this season.

The Hawthorne club of Western Electric, at 22nd and Cicero, entertained last Thursday for the 20th consecutive year.

Their one hour program featured Christmas music presented by a choral group of 50 voices, a male chorus of 20, and their featured quartet.

On Friday the Oak Lawn Theater guild staged "Just What They Wanted", a comedy of Christmas confusion.

The Englewood Eagles Auxiliary served as hostesses at a ward party for 28 women patients last Saturday. That same day Girl Scouts of South Shore distributed tray favors and scatter pins; members of the VFW Auxiliary 2240 staged a variety show; at the same time the Hazel Crest American L e g i o n Auxiliary was distributing gifts to other patients.

R. G. Simonson, of 6648 Pine Rd., Tinley Park Boy Scout leader directed a group of carolers in the ward.

Illinois law says that LP gas storage tanks holding between 125 and 500 gallons must be located at least 10 feet from any important building. A tank holding from 500 to 2,000 gallons should be 25 feet from buildings, and gas should be transferred into a tractor or other tank at least 50 feet from buildings.

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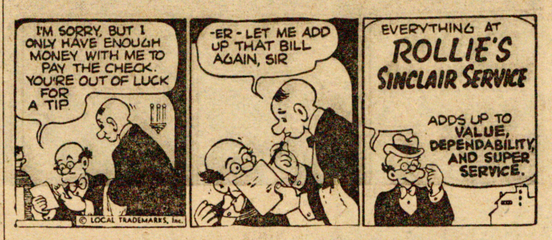

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Orland American Legion Auxiliary Contributes to Vet Rehabilitation

Mrs. Lilah Kruspe, Rehabilitation Chairman of the American Legion Auxiliary Orland Park unit 526 reports the local unit has made contributions towards the support of the following Rehabilitation program being sponsored by the Department of Illinois, American Legion Auxiliary: Insulin fund, a fund made available to diabetic veterans who have been dismissed from the hospitals but are unable to pay for the needed medication.

Vaponefrin fund; similar to the insulin fund, provides medication to the veteran suffering from asthma who can not afford to purchase the prescribed medication.

Treasure Chest funds, allows cigarettes, creature comforts, candy or fruit to all hospital bed veterans in Illinois.

Canteen books, a fund that provides the veteran patient who has no income of his own with a means to purchase some of the items he needs and also gives him the satisfaction of selecting his own purchases.

Hospitality funds, assures all the hospitals of monthly entertainment, furnishing bingo sets, greeting cards, stamps, matches, magazines, and many other items.

care and entertainment, including the serving of milk and cookies to children of veterans while other relatives and friends visit the veteran Downey Nursery, provides who is confined in the hospital.

Easter gifts, allows the hospitalized veteran a special gift at Easter time or a Canteen Book. These programs are some of the many Rehabilitation programs being supported by the donations of the Units throughout the state.

Vetrans' Craft Exchange items are sold by Orland Park Unit 526 at the meetings, Lilah Kruspe in charge.

The Veterans' Craft Exchange, a non-profit shop, is located at 30W. Washington st., 7th floor, Chicago and is the only such shop in the national organization. Articles to be sold are sent to this shop from disabled veterans throughout the nation. The shop plays a major part in the Rehabilitation of the vetern, as it gives him an opportunity to make use of his talents, in return he receives the entire purchase price of the article that has been sold. The American Legion Auxiliary assumes the shipping and handling charges plus the overhead of the Exchange.

Palos-Orland 'Y' Plans Dance for New Year's Eve

The Palos-Orland YMCA plans a dance for the New Years Eve at the Palos village hall, 123 Eighty-ninth ave.

Music for the affair will be furnished by Johnny Allan and a combo.

Johnny is known in the Cook county area for his shows at the 12th annual 4-H festival at the International stock and horse show where he appeared on opening day with the "Deep River Boys".

Johnny is 18 years old and lives in Arlington Heights. Before that he resided in Florida and sang at a number of clubs there.

An aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. William Nagel reside at 17376 S. 74th ct., Tinley Park.

Missionary Society Holds Yule Party

The Woman's Missionary society of the First Baptist church of Tinley Park enjoyed a brief business meeting and Christmas party with Mrs Elizabeth DeGraf as hostess on Monday evening.

Tentative plans were made for the group to host a quarterly conference of the Woman's Missionary Alliance of the district on Jan. 23. This will be an all day meeting with the host church serving luncheon. Mrs. Blanche Wills will be in charge of arrangement.

During the recreation part of the meeting, 22 members enjoyed an exchange of gifts and played games.

Don't buy small toys, marbles, jacks, coins or beads for very young children.

Steer clear of electrical type toys for very young children

Orland Park

Hold Monthly Card Party at St. Michael's

By MRS. LILLIAN KNOX
Fieldbrook 9-0211

On Tuesday, Dec. 30 at 8 p.m. the monthly card party of St. Michael's Parish will be held in the school auditorium. Mothers of children attending St. Michael's school who will be in charge are: Mrs. Robert Chapek, Mrs. Leon Cormier, Mrs. Robert Doeseckle, Mrs. Carl Drogemiller, Mrs. John Ennesser, Mrs. Edward Ganch, Mrs. John Grahover, Mrs. Harry Haney, Mrs. Howard Koehne, Mrs. Edward Kozlik, Mrs. John Major, Mrs. John Manning, Mrs. James Marousek, Mrs. Francis Mancander, Mrs. obert Mulcahy, Mrs. Harold Niebrugge, Mrs. Robert Peterman, Mrs. Edward Rafacz, Mrs. Harold Ringer, Mrs. Russ Smukula, Mrs. Joseph Tinaglia, and Mrs. Russell Wagner.

Thirty-two members of the Woman's club enjoyed the covered dish luncheon, Dec. 17 at the home of the president, Mrs. Karl Ekberg. Mrs. Harry Pihl was chairman, assisted by Mrs. Stanley Ray, Mrs. Edward Gee, Mrs. Jay K. Lamb, Mrs. Wesley Lindquist, Mrs. Lucius Patton and Mrs. Karl Ekberg.

A short business session followed the luncheon and after adjournment, the group sang several Christmas Carols. Mrs. Lucius Patton, associate editor of the Illinois Clubwoman and a member of Orland Park club, gave readings "Christmas in Dingley Dell" from Charles Dickens "Pickwick Papers".

John E. Fowler, died in his home, 3246 so. Wallace st., in Chicago, Wednesday, Dec. 17. He was a Navy veteran of World War I and had been ill for several years suffering muscular dystrophy. Surviving are his wife, Louise, nee Clinton, two brothers, Arthur of Eagle River, Minn., and Harry of Minneapolis, Minn., two sisters, Mrs. Rose Pettit and Mrs. Clara Kent of Winnebago, Minn.

Funeral services were held Saturday, Dec. 20 at Doremus Congregational church, 13039 Normal ave. Burial was at Mount Greenwood cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Fowler are well known in Orland, as Mrs. Fowler is a cousin to the late Mrs. Mollie Reish, a great aunt to Mrs. Clifford Horn and a distant relative of Mrs. Harvey Cooper.

The firemen were called to 159th St. and 115th Ave. where the home of James Smith was afire, Tuesday evening, Dec. 16. One wall was damaged by the fire.

The fire department at this time wish to extend a Merry Christmas to everyone.

Robert Horn is a patient under observation at Ingalls Memorial Hospital, Harvey.

Clarence Kramer is better and coming along nicely since he suffered a heart attack Dec. 10. As he will be hospitalized for some time, a card would help to pass the time and give him cheer. St. Francis hospital, Blue Island, is the address.

Mrs. Elsie Yunker is still a patient at St. Francis Hospital, Blue Island. A card would be appreciated.

Just a reminder—Esther Circle members of the Methodist WSCS, the pot-luck luncheon and Christmas party with a dollar gift exchange, Dec. 30 at 12:30 p.m. Mrs. Martin Schumacker, 7616-124th Place, Palos Heights has offered her home for the affair. Those needing transportation, call Mrs. Knox - FI 9-0211.

For older children select only electrical toys which bear the seal of approval of the Underwriters' Laboratories.

Mission Guild Presents Life Membership Pins

At a meeting of the Zion Lutheran church Mission Guild on Dec. 15, life membership pins were presented to Mrs. Randolph Hahn and Mrs. Harold Peterson.

A Christmas playlet was presented by several of the members, and new officers for the coming year were installed by the president, Mrs. Bn Deck.

Guests were Mrs. Lee Pore and Mrs. William Bird.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Ben Deck, Mrs. Mildred Cleveland and Mrs. Robert Raines.

Following the meeting, the group went caroling at homes of shut-ins.

Council For Handicapped Hears Pastor

At the meeting of the Council for Handicapped Children held in Park Forest last Friday evening, The Rev. Joseph L. Hughes, village chaplain, addressed the group on the topic of "The Child in the Midst." He told of the responsibilities each has for the youth of today, also to the unborn generations, and to God. The speaker stated that this responsibility includes long suffering, gentleness, consideration, forgiveness, understanding, temperance, and sacrifice.

During the business session new officers elected were, Joseph Carmen, president; Trumen Paulson, vice president; Gus Nelson, treasurer; all of Park Forest and Mrs. Ruby Franson, Homewood, recording secretary; Mrs. Shirley Ten Broeck, Richton Park, corresponding secretary. Board members are, Charles TenBroeck, Donald Barnes, George Brackenridge and William Vanderkolk.

Homer

Plan Organization of Woman's Auxiliary to Fire Department

By MRS. ELIZABETH ANDERSON
Lockport 886W2

Members and officers of the Homer Fire Protection District are inviting all women who live in this district area to attend a meeting at Homer town hall Thursday, Jan. 8, at 8 p.m. for the purpose of discussing and organizing a Women's Auxiliary for the department. A good attendance is desired.

The Good Luck Camp of Royal Neighbors will hold their December meeting at Homer Church on Tuesday, Dec. 30, with a pot-luck dinner being served at noon. Each member is asked to bring a $1 gift for the Christmas exchange, their dish to pass and a prize gift for the games which will be played in the afternoon, following the annual election of officers.

Sherman Reiter is employed at Lockport post office during the Christmas rush. Mrs. Hanson and Susanne Burcham are clerking at Neisner's in Joliet.

There will be an installation of officers at the Homer church at the 10:45 worship service, Sunday morning Dec. 28.

The Rev. and Mrs. Ray Hanson will hold open house at the parsonage Monday evening, Dec. 29, 7 to 10:30 o'clock.

The family of Mr. Henry Wink gathered at his home on 159th street, Saturday night to help him celebrate his 82nd birthday. A pleasant time was had and refreshments were served.

Word has been received of the death of Peter Hastert at Clearwater, Fla. on Sunday, Dec. 14. His wife is the former Edith Gillette of Homer. They have a son, Harlan, who is in Brazil, S. A. Funeral services were at Clearwater.

Mrs. Roger Myers accompanied friends to New York City on a plane trip last weekend.

Mrs. William Mergler spent last Sunday with her son, Donald and family in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Loucks and Arthur Strohman will entertain the Harry Loucks' of Oak Lawn and Mrs. Frank Grant of Joliet at Christmas dinner.

Mrs. Walter Konow will attend a Christmas family dinner in the Clarence Wies home.

Mrs. Harriet Fiddyment, Plainfield, was kept from her teacher's duties at District 33-C Tuesday and Wednesday of the past week.

A special New Year's service will be held at Homer church on Sunday, Jan. 4, at 10:45 a.m., with communion, and reception of new members.

Tinley Park

Baptist Young People Enjoy Gift Exchange and Progressive Dinner

Thirty six young people of the First Baptist church attended a progressive dinner Friday evening, Dec. 13. Appetizers were served at the home of the pastor, Rev and Mrs. A. D. Corder. Salad was served at the Ernest Bayless Jr. home in Midlothian; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Lees had the main course, Joyce Sechrist, Anthony Yokely, Ray and Kay Collins served dessert.

Following the dinner, the youth groups met at the church where a grab bag gift exchange was held, along with the singing of Christmas carols and seasonal games. Evelyn Stokes led in devotions. Punch and cookies rounded out the meal.

The Girls Intermediate Sunday School class planned the dinner with their teacher, Mrs Bonnie Curlee.

Employees of Bremen State bank held their Christmas dinner and party Monday evening at Saenger hall. They enjoyed a gift exchange and games.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Albers entertained at a Christmas party for their card club on Saturday evening in their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Leavitt of Chicago Heights were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tyrolt.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lee were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Divon, Jr. of Oak Forest.

Mr. and Mrs Dallas Webster Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Ken Webster and family attended an Open House on Saturday, honoring the Golden Wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Schultz in Chicago.

Mrs. Lois Gerri entertained her club Wednesday evening for a holiday party.

Forty two students of the 6th grade, Central School, Tinley Park, accompanied by their teacher, Mr. David Peaslee, visited the new Hinsdale Health Museum Dec. 17. They were greeted by Mrs. Elizabeth Lundy, museum director Mrs. Mary Askew, museum instructor, and several volunteers.

They saw the performance of the talking Glass Lady, star attraction at the Museum. This life size plexiglass figure was made in Cologne, Germany and flown to Hinsdale. By the omission of the muscles, all the internal organs are visible, and each in turn lights up as the Lady herself describes its functions. The Lady was named "Valeda" in a recent contest, a name derived from the word "valid" meaning "healthy"—the opposite of "Invalid."

After touring the Museum exhibits, where they received lectures from Mrs. Askew and Mrs. Lundy on the brain, the cells, the heart, lungs, etc. the children enjoyed a special showing of the film, "Red River of Life", depicting the story of the heart and circulation and made by the Moody Science Institute.

The Hinsdale Health Museum, opened last May by the Kettering Family Foundation, has attracted nearly 40,000 visitors, including over 225 school and scout and other special groups. With a slogan "Better living through knowing yourself," the Health Museum features only the normal body and how it functions. There are no exhibits on disease.

Open daily from 9 to 5 and Sunday from 1 to 5, the Museum welcomes visitors of all ages. Admission is free. Large groups are requested to make advance reservations, telephone Faculty 5-1900.

Mrs. Ella Wehrle, mother of Mrs. William McBurney, employed in the village clerk's office, is greatly improved in Silver Cross hospital, where she has been seriously ill.

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Christmas Festivities Marked With Visiting and Entertaining

By MRS. KATHARINE HEISNER
Frankfort 5187

Christmas Guests

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Morrison will be Mr. and Mrs. Herman Munk of Briar Woods, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Clarke and family of Mokena, Mrs. Marie Bettenhausen and Miss Lois Bettenhausen.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Breidert of Briar Woods will entertain the family on Christmas day for dinner. Other guests will be the Rev. and Mrs. Erich Bizer.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schoen will have as evening dinner guests, Mr. and Mrs. William Deist, Mr. and Mrs. William Schoen, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Pomykala and children, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Warning and Sharon and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jordan of Dyer, Ind. The event will also be the 13 birthday anniversary of the former's son, Dale

Frankfort Band held their Christmas concert, under the direction of Perry Friedman, on the evening of Dec. 17 in the school gym.

An attractively decorated stage was the backdrop for the band members as they played a variety of marches, and Christmas songs. After the program there were treats and a gift exchange.

The next concert will be held in February. The next regular meeting of the Band Boosters will be Jan. 5 at 7:30 pm. in Frankfort school.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pfaff, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Nieland and daughters and Miss Sylvia Pfaff of Joliet will be dinner guests of Mrs. Edward Mc Govney in Mokena.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Reils and family will be the dinner guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Reils at Monee.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kochel are spending the day with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Kochel at Monee.

Mr. and Mrs. John Schilling will have their family on Christmas eve for a gift exchange, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schilling, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Simpson and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mersch and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sylvester and family of Burnham.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Simpson and family will be dinner guests of his mother, Mrs. Etta Simpson at Peotone Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Folkers and family will be dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Folkers in Chicago Christmas Day.

Rev. and Mrs. Arnold Bizer and family of Arthur, Ill. and Robert Bizer of Quincy will be guests of their parents, the Rev. and Mrs. Erich Bizer, Dec. 28 and 29, while the Rev. Raymond Bizer and family of Bellevue, Ohio will stop here a short time on Dec. 26, enroute from Bellevue to Pomeroy, Iowa. When returning home they will visit a few days with his parents, over the New year holidays.

A family get together with a gift exchange will be held Christmas Eve after the program at St. Peter's church, with Miss Viola Lankenau as hostess at her home.

The Afternoon Circle of the Methodist church will meet at the church Thursday, Jan. 8 at 1:15 for dessert coffee.

The Dec. 28 Family nite potluck supper at the Methodist church will not be held due to the holidays. The next one will be Jan. 25.

A Holy Communion service will be held at St. Peter's church, at 10:30 am. Sunday, Dec. 28. The annual congregational meeting will be held at 7:30 pm. Jan. 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Putnam were hostesses to his office staff members and their wives at the Ford Motor company at Chicago Heights last Friday evening, with a gift exchange and Christmas party.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Nieland and daughters, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pfaff were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Walsh of New Lenox last Thursday evening in honor of Mr. Walsh's birthday anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Reils and children dined at Alvera's last Sunday evening for dinner then visited with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Farrer.

Dr. and Mrs. Irving- Rudman attended the Blackstone Theatre in Chicago Tuesday. On Saturday evening they will attend the Ballet at the Opera House in Chicago.

Green Garden

Entertaining Guests Marks Holiday Season

By KATHARIIE HEISNER
Frankfort 5187

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Hasenjaeger and family of Joliet and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Kohlhagen and sons of Rensselaer, Ind. will spend the day as dinner guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Hasenjaeger.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Mark will entertain Mr. and Mrs. Harry Aggen and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Sluiter and family, Mrs. Emma Gierke, Mrs. Amanda Mark and Mrs. Sadie Erdman at noon as dinner guests. In the evening for supper they will be joined by Mr. and Mrs. Louis Smith and daughter of Blue Island, and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gary of Elmhurst.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Steinberg and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bettenhausen and Marie Ann will be dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Steinberg of New Lenox.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Borm are entertaining at a dinner in their home, Mrs. Albert Borms, Miss Frieda Borms and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bettenhausen, all of Frankfort, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Steidinger of Fairbury, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Zimmerman of Kankakee, and Mr. and Mrs. Orlyn Borms and family of Tinley Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Uthe and Lester Uthe of Orland Park and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Uthe of Palos Heights will be dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Uthe at noon. In the evening they will assemble at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Mutsch at Orland Park for supper and a gift exchange.

Couples Issued Marriage Licenses

County Clerk Edward J. Barrett, has issued marriage licenses to the following couples:

Edmund Dagenais, Tinley Park, and Shirley Werner, 6551 Pine Point drive, Tinley Park.

Carl Batson, 409 N. Cedar rd., New Lenox, and Anita McMahon, New Lenox.

George Cowan, 10615 S. 81st ave., Palos Park, and Wanda Couch, Oak Lawn.

Edward Wisch, 15922 S. Kedzie ave., Markham, and Donna Murphy, 15440 Waverly, Oak Forest.

James Shula, 171st and Lockwood, Tinley Park and Peggy Sauve, 560 N. Long, Chicago.

Tinley Man Retires After 40 Years Service With Harvester

Herbert J. Moss, 6109 West 167th st., Tinley Park, has retired after 40 years of service at International Harvester Company's West Pullman Works, it has been announced by Works Manager P. C. Booty. Moss was general foreman of West Pullman Works' Materials Handling Department.

Moss began his Harvester career at West Pullman Works in April, 1918. He was appointed to the managerial organization as an assistant foreman in 1943, and was named foreman in 1945. He was promoted to general foreman of the Materials Handling Department in 1949.

Moss was honored by the Works' management at a luncheon shortly before his retirement, at which time he was presented with slide projection equipment by the managerial organization.

He is a brother of Edmund Moss, former fire chief of the Tinley Park fire department.

New Lenox

Robert Eberhard Jr. Invested Into Franciscan Religious Order

BY DELORES ANDERSON
New Lenox 3651

Robert Eberhard Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Eberhard Sr., 638 Ogden road, was invested into the Franciscan religious order Nov. 4 at St. Josephs Seminary, Westmont. He was given the religious name of Brother Seraphin.

He attended St. Raymond's Catholic grade school in Joliet and when his family moved here, attended St. Jude's Catholic grade school from where he was graduated in 1954. He attended Joliet Catholic high school and one year at St. Josephs Seminary. He then returned to Joliet Catholic high school from where he was graduated in 1958.

Brother Seraphin is now attending St. Paschal's training school at Hinsdale. He will spend Christmas with his parents.

Mrs. Wendell Cooper was hostess last Thursday night at the annual Christmas party of the Woman's Guild of Grace Episcopal church, with Mrs. Sam Carr assissting. Games were played and the usual gift exchange was enjoyed.

Members of the New Lenox Woman's Club met Dec. 16 at the home of Mrs. Elton Pyle, for their annual Christmas luncheon party and guest day. Mrs. Roy Dowle was assistant hostess. Each member brought a guest. Mrs. Ernest Rydberg and Mrs. Anna Parsons had charge of the program, followed by a gift exchange.

PFC and Mrs. Robert Emperor, Pine st., are parents of a 4½ pound son, Dennis Michael born Dec. 14 in Silver Cross hospital. Mrs. Emperor who recently returned from Germany where her husband has been stationed with the armed forces, is the former Shirley Tarrant. She is residing now with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Tarrant until the return of her husband from Germany, which was scheduled for Dec. 20.

Dale Gullickson was honored at a dinner Dec. 7 to celebrate his 21st birthday anniversary, in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Gullickson, Hickory st. Dale is attending the University of Illinois.

Haven and Oak View grade schools closed Friday afternoon for the holiday vacation and will reopen Jan. 5. Individual rooms had Christmas trees, party and gift exchanges before the close of school Friday.

Ensign Sheldon Hauck, who is stationed aboard the aircraft carrier Hornet, is home on his first leave to spend the holidays with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Hauck and family.

Larry Brolich, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Brolich, Forest st., who has been confined to Silver Cross hospital for the past five weeks with hepititus, hopes to be able to come home for Christmas. Another son, James Pagnucco, who was home on leave since Dec. 12, left by plane last Wednesday morning for Fort Dix, from where he plans to go to Germany soon.

Holiday Guests

Mr. and Mrs. John Warren and family will spend a quiet day in their home, with an early dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reeser will entertain their son, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Reeser and their daughters Sharon and Patsy.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Cullison will entertain at a family gathering. Their son Larry is home from Illinois Wesleyan at Bloomington.

Mrs. Emma Rought, No. Cedar road, will go to Oak Park where she will be a guest for the day of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Tworsey.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy R. Close have gone to Los Angeles, Calif., where they are spending the holidays with their son, Mr. and Mrs. William Dean Close and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Pack will entertain her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Pukis, her sister, Mrs. Stella Stephens and daughter Linda, of New Lenox and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pukis and son Dennis of Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schroeder, Miss Mildred Schroeder, and Mrs. Beverly Seivert and children are spending the holidays in Arkdale, Wis., with Mr. and Mrs. Beldon Schroeder and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dowles and family will have as their guests his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Dowle of Chicago, and his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Dowle of Glen Ellyn.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Rob and son Ronnie will go to Worth where they will be guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Al Hufker.

Dale Gullickson, and John and Paul Huttenhoff returned home Friday from the University of Illinois, to spend the holidays with their respective parents, the Clarence Gullicksons and John Huttenhoffs. They will return to school Jan. 4.

Caryl Robinson is home from Michigan State College at Lansing for the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Robinson.

Donald Grund is home from Illinois State college at DeKalb for the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Grund and family.

Miss Diane Batson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Batson is home from Northwestern University in Evanston.

Mr. and Mrs. William Minuth and family will spend Monday and Tuesday, Dec. 29 and 30 at the Wagon Wheel in Rockton, where Mrs. Minuth will attend a Dance Masters vacation and work session.

The Misses Marilyn Zusag and Judy Carnahan are home from college at Quincy, for the holidays with parents, the Ted Zusags and Charles Carnahans.

Miss Barbara, and Sparky Hauck returned Dec. 20 from Miami university at Oxford, Ohio, for the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Hauck, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Darling will spend the day with their daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dittmer and family and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Beck and family in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Len Anderson and family will have as their guests her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Walsh of Saugatuck, Mich., and her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schroeder and daughters Lynn, Sharman and Bonnie.

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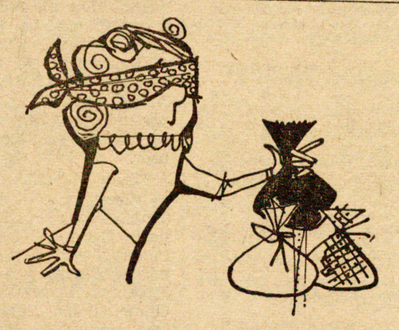

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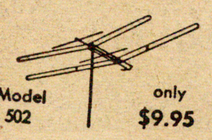

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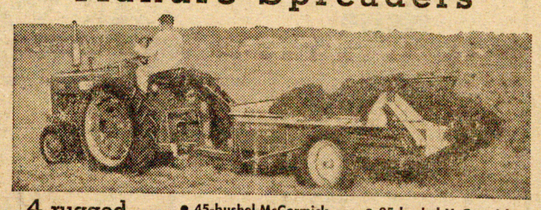

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Bremen Loses Third; Oaks Free Tosses Sink L-W

Reavis Basketeers Nose Out Braves; Losers Rally but too Late

Bremen has absorbed its third straight setback in the SW Suburban League on Friday evening at Reavis high school in Oak Lawn, 67-64.

This was a must game for Bremen! It became a lost one!

The talent of the Braves is now questionable!

Even if they have it (in basketball parlance)--can they come off the deck to defeat a Rich tea mthat looks better each and every week.

It is a feast and then a famine for the Braves. After pasting Blue Island, the Red Men seem content to rest on that laurel! However, at this point, they helped Reavis to its first league verdict.

The famine has lasted for three games and the season's ledger now stands at 3-4.

As one fan commented, "It looks like Bremen is out of it! Maybe, that Lincoln-Way 4-point win is about the calibre of the Braves."

Bremen has been getting plenty of shots, but of late--gets rolling about the final quarter when it is too late to do very much.

The previous Friday it was cold shooting, Saturday it was the inability to stop the fast-breaking of Evergreen Park, and on last Friday evening it was just plain inability to make the right, accurate pass at the right time. At times, one felt that more passes were going away than Bremen was getting shots. This will not enhance your scoring!

Reavis started early and piled up a lead. True to the recent gamepattern, Bremen actually grabbed the lead with a few minutes to go--but that was all they could do--grab it! Reavis soon moved back into the lead and Bremen had lost another close game.

They shoot with the best teams in the conference--can't they win? Why can't so the question is--why they? It points out again that a good basketball player must be good in every other department--as well as the shooting end.

Rebounding--at times rather good--has been a real problem for coach Brown of Bremen. His boys don't take many rebounds off the boards. L-W, them, and Henry DeVries of much smaller outrebounded Oak Lawn, just an inch taller than one of the Bremen men--had a nice night with little competetion.

Some nights they pass well--other nights they don't.

Spirit is what makes the defensive men get that extra step. How much of that do the Braves have?

Yes, there are four men who can hit in the double figures in most every game, but scoring—individually—is not winning a basketball game.

Jim Mannaoini, consistent scorer for the Braves, led the shooters with 24 points. This was Jim's best night of the young baskketball season.

Jim Mifflin was good on six baskets and six free throws for 18 points.

Reavis' Jack Sakolosky hit the twenty mark.

Breme n was out hustled and out team played.

The Redmen have an open two weeks over the holidays. There are no holiday tournaments on its schedule.

The work is cut out for Coach Brown. Bremen is probably out of the SW Suburban race--but if the Braves are to make a run for it they are going to have to improve a great deal over the first four games.

Bremen's frosh-soph again had an evening when the beads of perspiration never reached the forehead. This marked the seventh straight victory for the Braves younger men. It was the fourth straight league win. Bremen will, no doubt, have one conference champ.

Reavis	17	21	12	17—67
Bremen	12	18	18	15—63

Scoring—REAVIS: Jack Sakalosky, 2-4 (8); Pete Mysza, 0-1 (1); Pigusch, 1-0(2); Jim Sakalosky 8-5 (21); Mulack, 3-0 (6); Natale, 3-5 (11); Vogt, 2-5 (9); Lemonier, 3-3 (9).

BREMEN: Mannioni, 9-6 (24); Mifflin, 6-6 (18); Randle El, 0-3 (3); Hoffman, 2-2 (6); *Rodgers, 1-0 (2); Tattum, 3-2 (8); Randolph, 1-0 (2).

*Fouled out.

ILLINOIS POLICE OFFICERS—gathered at Sanger hall in Tinley Park last week for a meeting of the South Division, of the Illinois Police Association where Tony Bettenhausen, veteran race driver of Tinley Park, was the guest speaker. He spoke on safety, one of many such talks he will make thruout the country. Tony also showed movies of the 1958, 500 mile race in Indianapolis. Pictured left to right are Pete Seeley and Police Chief Harold C. Moore, of the Tinley department, Tony Bettenhausen, Rush Barton, secretary of the association (the next man is unidentified), Jim Maney, secretary of the Cook County Forest Preserve police, and Kenneth O'Brien of Oak Lawn, president of the association.

(Marvin Smith photo)

Knights Are A Stubborn Lot; Good on Defense

Foul shots...foul shots...these are the goblins that haunt the Knight's roundtable over at New Lenox.

Foul shots were the point of sword that gave a highly thought of Oak Lawn team a victory, an unbeaten mark maintained, and continuance of second place in the SW Suburban League on Friday night at New Lenox, 63-46.

Lincoln-Way is turning out to be the defensive team in the conference. Large, Henry DeVries was held to three points in the first half by George Ruhle and Larry Iwema--and probably would not have reached much of anything, (he managed 14 for the game), if these two lads hadn't been thumbed to an early shower.

That pesky Knight wouldn't go down--as he did last Friday evening at Rich. Even with two missing from the roundtable, they fought the invaders from Oak Lawn to a near deadlock--just prior to the last period.

Then, already short the two regulars on the bench, the other three regulars succumbed to the whistle and the Oaks moved out to the eventual winning margin of 17-points.

"Oak Lawn's press didn't bother us. Don't get me wrong, Oak Lawn has a real good have beaten us by much more --but for one thing. My boys stopped their scoring punch of DeVries and Rademacher," reported Joe Kruzich. That they did, Joe!

In addition to his defensive work on DeVries, Larry Iwema was top scorer for the night with 16. DeVries was really stopped with 14. Borkowski had 10, and Rademacher was good for only six.

The high scoring Oak Lawn outfit was held to 26 points in the first half and could well have finished the game with 50 or less if fouls had not turned away Kruzich's starting team.

Lincoln-Way might have stunned the conference, but the shooting accuracy was a little off on the close-up shots. Fouls...and more foul shots.

The Knights have failed to win this season, as yet.

Again the Lincoln-Way yearlings dropped a two-point decision, 32-30.

Browsing Through The Cold Stove League

By DEAN DALLAS, Sports Editor

Which is the better league the SW Suburban or the South Suburban—this season? Many are asking the question! Certainly, the larger Chicago papers devote plenty of space to the South Suburban League, this would indicate the better competition!

Of course, there is only one way to compare the two leagues—that is by the results of games played between them this season—1958-59. This, no doubt, has its pitfalls!

Let us begin with Argo. Argo was beaten at Bloom by five points—Bloom is currently running second in the South Suburban League. Bremen defeated Argo in the season's opener by a 61-49 count—thus it would appear that the fifth ranked SW Suburban team should be able to defeat the South Suburban number two team.

Rich of the S W Suburban easily took Kankakee, 61-49 at Kankakee. Blue Island was able to beat Kankakee by two points—at Blue Island. Bremen, the next evening scattered the Cardinals by a 72-54 count.

Carl Sandburg, considered one of the weakest teams in the conference, one which was not expected to win many games—tho they have already won two—was just nipped by Blue Island—at Blue Island early in the season. Sandburg has since improved under Coach Adams.

Reavis, an up and down team in the SW beat Thornton Fraction of the South Sub urban league by 9 points. Yes that doesn't seem to point to much basketball talent for the South Suburban Conference.

Oak Lawn was able to nip Argo—at Argo—the Argoites are plenty tough at home—by a basket.

The only other victory that the South Suburban can claim is Thornton Fractionals close victory over Bremen. The Braves have not looked worse—thus far this season.

It is true that you cannot really compare by game scores—but it would seem that some comparison can be drawn when the record compiled by one league against the other appears rather dominant. SW Suburban has won 5 and lost 2 to the South Suburban.

It is true that Bloom has not been met by any SW Suburban School, but the Chicago Heights team is having its troubles beating such as Argo Thornton Fractional, and the like.

Thornton has not been included in the discussion—thus far. It would seem that Thornton outclasses its own South Suburban league. But after Thornton—it would appear—on a given night that as many as three or four of the SW Suburban teams might defeat the South Suburban entries. Rich, Bremen, and Reavis have demonstrated that it can be done.

Thornton is rated as one of the top 20 schools in the state, I believe that one can exclude them, then. Schools come along with outstanding teams in cycles. I guess this is Thornton's cycle.

Could the South Suburban, with exception of Thornton, finish anywhere higher than fourth or fifth, on the basis of extra-league activities, in the SW Suburban League. Probably every team in the SW, with the exception of Rich, is in the process of welding together juniors and sophomore—with a senior or two. Maybe the SW Suburban Conference is the conference of the next couple of years in our section

Anyway.....you must admit that statistics favor my consideration....However, statistics are sort of like a satellite—it reveals plenty, but often hides the vital information.

MERRY CHRISTMAS from the sports staff of the Semmler Press. We sincerely hope that you have and are enjoying our effort to give you the best local sports coverage in the area—KEEP CHRIST IN CHRISTMAS! Thank God for what 1958 has taught you the hard or the easy way.—READERS DIGEST: "It was nice of the Shepherds to wash before they went to see the baby Jesus—remarked the little boy to his mother!" She was puzzled. "You know," he continued, "The song we sing—while shepard's washed their socks by night!"

CHERRIO!

Rich Away in S W Loop

Rich certainly showed its class in defeating a scoring minded Evergreen Park at Evergreen, 96-71.

Until this contest—the Rock et-had been sputtering, but like the giant Atlas has prob ably orbited into its run for the SW Suburban Conference crown.

Evergreen has shown plenty of class in dropping a close game to Oak Lawn and defeating Bremen—but Rich was too much!

If Rich plays this kind of ball the remainder of the season—"other coaches better build for next year."

FRIDAY's Results:

Reavis 67; Bremen 63

Oak Lawn 63; Lincoln-Way 46

Rich 96; Evergreen Park 71

Standings of the Teams:

Rich	4	0
Oak Lawn	3	0
Sandburg	2	1
Evergreen	1	2
Reavis	1	2
Bremen	1	3
Lincoln-Way	0	4

Carl Sandburg moved into third place as it was idle over the weekend.

Suburban Transit Given Authority To Hike Fares

(CNS) The Suburban Transit company, serving 5,000 riders daily in 11 suburbs and Chicago's southwest side, got a Christmas present a week early.

In an order entered Dec. 17 in Springfield, the Illinois Commerce Commission authorized the bus company to hike fares on five days notice.

The company has 29 zones where fares ranged from 20 to 50 cents. All weekday fares were raised 5 cents, with the exception of the 20 cent single zone fare. Sunday and holiday fares were increased 10 cents, or 5 cents more than weekday fare.

The line was allowed to replace 25 ride tickets with 10-ride tickets. This change amounts to about 2 cents more per ride.

The 46 ride student tickets also are up. These changes, involving terminals in Chicago: from Evergreen Park, up from $3.75 to $5.52; from Oak Lawn, up from $5 to $9.20; and from Chicago Ridge, Worth and Palos Heights, up from $6 to $10.12.

The company serves the suburbs of Evergreen Park Oak Lawn, Chicago Ridge Worth, Palos Heights, Palos Park, Alsip, Crestwood Oak Forest, Argo and Stickney. The ICC said the new fares are "just and reasonable."

Association of Rabbit Breeders Elects Officers

The Tibbar Rabbit Breeders association elected the following officers at the meeting held at the Anfield home in Tinley Park: M. R. Montgomery, Tinley Park, president; Art Osman of Chicago, vice president; Lyman Anfield, Tinley Park, secretary and treasurer.

Those elected to the board of directors are: Art Lucchesi, Tinley Park; Don Reid of Lockport, George Thomes, Orland Park; Mrs. Geraldine Montgomery, Tinley Park; Albert McNabb, Homewood, and Phil Grede, Palos Heights.

The 25th anniversary Tibbar Rabbit show to be held in Sanger ballroom Feb. 5, was discussed. The next meeting will be at the Sunnyside Feed and Pet Shop, 152nd and Oak Park ave., at 8 p.m. Jan. 2.

"Tibbar", the name of the association, spells, (you guessed it) backwards.

MOKENA COMMUNITY
DEC. 16, 1958

	W	L
Welsch Lumber	36½	23½
Mokena Oil Co.	32	28
Dunham's Hardware	29	31
Guendling Constr.	29	31
Semmler Press	27	33
Smith's Photo Shop	26½	33&

High game: N. Wilson 222; J. Mankowski 220; L. Bettenhausen 218; A. Schram 217; H. Bormet 202 Wolfgang 201.
High series: N. Wilson 636; J. Mankowski 628; F. Guendling 550; A. Schram 534; K. Pearson 534; L. Bettenhausen 531; H. Bormet 523; E. Bormet 517; Wolfgang 509.

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FRANKFORT WOMEN
DEC. 16, 1958

	W	L
Frankfort Hardware	31	17
Suburban lying Ser.	26	22
Schilling's Sta.	23½	24½
Bauman's Tavern	23½	24½
Subberts Hauling	21	27
Ritts Restaurant	19	29

High game: Shirley Christiansen 195.
Hgh series: Pat Machtemes 488.

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THURSDAY NIGHT
DEC. 18, 1958

	W	L
Sangmeister Elec.	30	15
Marks Gro.	22	23
Frankfort Ser. Sta.	22	23
Masseys Sta.	21	24
Trumps Garage	20	25
Lambrecht Ins.	20	255

High game: Gordon Warning 222; Casey Jenkot 203.
High series: Casey Jenkot 606; Gordon Warning 585.

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JIM'S TAVERN
DEC. 14, 1958

	W	L
Miller High Life	24	18
Fox Head	24	18
Angie's	21	21
Schlitz	20	22
Sunny Homes	19	23
Jim's	17	25

High games Marge Cervenka 216, Warren Nelson 215, Mickey Yunker 198.
Hih series: Bob Homerding 528, Geo. Haenhlien 541, Warren Nelson 518, Wesley Nelson 509, Mickey Yunker 500..

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ORLAND PARK WOMEN
DEC. 16, 1958

	W	L
I.N.R. Beatty	31	17
Bob Miller Mercury	29	19
Palos Auto Sales	29	19
Schmaedeke's Chapel	25	23
Orland Oaks Drive In	24½	23½
Loebe Realty Co.	24	24
Orland State Bank	22½	25½
Brennan's Fine Food	22	26
Norman's Tavern	22	26
Ill. Lawn Equip.	21	27
T. H. Davidson	20	28
O. P. IGA Foodliner	18	30

High game: C. Driscoll 211.
High series: C. Driscoll 534.

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TRI-COUNTY TRAVELING
DEC. 14, 1958

	W	L
Tinley Bowling Lanes	23½	18½
20th Century Bowling	23	19
Beecher Recreation	23	19
Frankfort Lanes	20½	21½
Steger Bo-Lanes	18	24
Red Cedar Lanes	18	24

High games: Ray Gasbarro, 260; Ben Rhodes, 225; Wendell Matthias, 212; D. Blankenberger, 212.
High series: Ray Gasbarro, 658; Wilbur Heine, 584; Wendell Matthias, 578; Ben Rhodes, 577; Les Krudup, 573; Jim LaMotte, 569; 559; A. Schram, 556.

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FRIDAY NITE MIXED
DEC. 19, 1958

	W	L
Arch Inn Restaurant	31½	16½
Dixon's Dari Castle	25	23
Frankfort Lanes	24	24
Midwest Store	23	25
Frankfort Serv. Sta.	20½	27½
J. Machtemes Concrete	20	28

High games: D. Kratzenberg, 204; G. Eisenbrandt, 178.
High series: J. Machtemes 537; D. Kratzenberg, 527; M. Eisenbrandt, 521; L. Robinson, 518; N. Wilson, 511; G. Eisebrandt, 501; R. Steck, 483.

REFORMED CHURCH
DEC. 19, 1958

Eagles	28	11
Owls	23	16
Robins	20	19
Crows	19	20
Sparrows	15	24
Hawks	12	27

High series: Ed Vander Veen, 519;

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TINLEY TEEN CLUB
DEC. 21, 1958

Luckey Strikes	30	12
Phonies	25	17
Bloopers	19½	22½
Parliments	18½	23½
Awkward Five	18	24
Clowns	15	27

High games: Bog Goetsch, 254; Don Coyner, 205; Joanne Buckhaas, 193.
High series: Bob Goetsch, 622; Harold Coley, 522; Don Coynes, 520.

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LION'S MIXED UP
DEC. 21, 1958

Bouncers	29	19
Strikers	27½	20½
Foulers	24	24
Splitters	24	24
Twisters	21	27
Tappers	18½	29½

High games: Don Hollingshead, 209; Rose Kraman, 186.
High series: Don Hollingshead, 526; Ken Schmudde, 518; Rose Kraman, 488.

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PARKSIDE LADIES
DEC. 15, 1958

Meyer Electric	27	18
Tinley Park Hardware	25	20
Tinley lower Shop	23	22
No. Amer. Mushroom	23	22
Vogt's Dept. Store	19	26
Brandau Trucking	18	27

High game and series: Lottie Zaremba, 208-496.

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TOWN & COUNTRY WOMEN
DEC. 16, 1958

Moews Seed Corn	30	18
Sleman Standard	29½	18½
Yunker Imp. Co.	28½	19½
Hirsch	26	22
Jenkins	26	22
Bettenhausen Motors	25	23
Meyer Electric	23½	24½
Semmler Press	21½	26½
Cooper Oil	21	27
T. P. Frozen Food	21	27
Happy's Body Shop	20	28
Saenger Ballroom	17	31

High game: Phyllis Ebeling, 175.
High series: Adeline Petrossi, 502; Pauline Bieschke, 497; Winnie Bayer, 478.

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ST. MARY'S MIXED

Harr's Clippers	27	21
Mokena Electric	26	22
Jim's Tavern	25	22
State Farm Ins.	25	21
Standard Oil	20	28
Bernardin Florist	19	29

High games: Need Wilson, 250; Ted Pethes, 245; Jim Warner, 238.
High series: Need Wilson, 614; Ted Pethes, 597; Jim Warner, 528; Lew Cervenka, 520; Fred Pandow, 519; Andy Harr, 501; Threse Lawson, 481.

DEC. 22, 1958

	W	L
New Lenox Lumber	29	19
Mokena State Bank	28½	19½
Mokena Oil Co.	25	23
Richardson's Market	24½	23½
Cooper & Hostert	22	26
Muehler's Tavern	15	33

High games: S. Hausser, 227; D. Guendling, 225; W. Barenz, 224; M. Cummons, 216; L. Marcoux, 215; Jim Marti, 215; J. Medema, 214; E. Walsch, 205; W. Muehler, 201.
High series: E. Walsch, 578; J. Medema, 574; D. Guendling, 572; S. Hausser, 568; W. Barenz, 567; M. Cummons, 565; H. Cooper, 556; M. Homerding, 550; John Marti, 543; L. Marcoux, 543; G. Swart, 535; Jim Marti, 533; W. Muehler, 520; A. Zink, 508.

MATCH GAME
DEC. 15, 1958
Frankfort Bowling Lanes

Semankovich	188	182	197	567
J. Mankowski	203	178	225	606
A. Schram	202	257	200	659
A. Boat	217	194	199	610
B. Rhodes	235	156	218	609
Totals	1045	967	1039	3051

Rivals Club

C. Gregovich	182	183	157	522
B. Kernc	187	152	177	516
F. Mores	203	179	175	557
B. Howat	200	161	169	530
D. Petric	136	183	184	523
Totals	928	858	862	2648

Lincoln-Way In Holiday Tourney at Naperville

Coach Joe Kruzich of Lincoln-Way High school announced that the New Lenox team would travel to Naperville for a holiday tournament—starting Jan. 1 and concluding the third.

Kruzich also announced that it is doubtful now that Tom Peterson will be ready for the tournament. Previously, it was thought that Peterson would be ready by the first of the year.

Lincoln-Way has been paired with Hinckley Bigrrock—you pronounce it—in the opening round on New Year's night. The winner of this game will reach the semi-finals of the tournament.

The other teams in the tour nament are St. Procopius, Lisle, Lake Park, Yorkville, Naperville and Lemont.

Bettenhausen Story

The story of Tony Bettenhausen, star automobile racer from Tinley Park, will be resumed in the next issue. The next installment will deal with the role chewing gum had in Tony winning his first race trophy.

Sportsmen's Club Has Drive For New Members

Sports Sportsmens club 1-24

The New Lenox Sportsmen's club has entered the Illinois Federation of Sportsmen's club contest for clubs showing the greatest percentage increase in membership for 1959

The club is optimistic in its chances of winning the contest and if successful, will award a 14 foot aluminum boat and a 5½ horse power outboard motor to members who bring in the most new members. It is planned to operate the contest on a point system.

The club enjoyed color slides of fishing trips into the Superior and Quetico National Forests at the November meeting as presented by Robert Cary, outdoor writer for a Chicago daily paper and editor of the "Prairie Sportsmen." He also writes a column in the Joliet Herald News.

Rabbit hunting, the club states, is legal until Jan. 20.

T. P. MEN FRIDAY NIGHT
DEC. 20, 1958

	W	L
Rudy's	31	17
No. Amer. Mushroom	29½	18½
Meyer Electric	25½	22&
Saenger Ballroom	25	23
Jardine's	24½	23½
Rex Television	23	25
Brandau Excavators	23	25
Schuldt Motors	23	25
Lehmann's Garage	22&	25½
Service Bakery	21½	26½
Cavett Drug	21½	26½
Siemsen Standard	18	30

High series: Al Brandau, 601; L. Vodnik, 547; J. Pantaleo, 519; G. Waters, 518; C. Seitz, 514; J. Triezenberg, 505; T. Mortensen, 505; R. Goetsch, 501.
High game: Al Brandau, 209; L. Vodnik, 206.

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Stocker and feeder cattle. Jim Sheehan, south side of 159th st., 2nd house west of Rt. 45, Orland Park. FI 9-3065. ctf 8:28

2 weaning pigs, 1 butchering hog, 1 broadcast seeder, and 10 used electric poles. Chas. W. Vogt, 183rd near Ridgeland ave. KE 2-2483. 1p

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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE TO RESIDENTS OF TINLEY PARK

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that 1959 Dog Licenses will go on sale in the Village of Tinley Park on January 2, 1959. "An Ordinance Concerning Dogs" provides that every person who harbors or keeps a dog of over the age of three months shall pay an annual tax on such dog of $3.00, which tax shall be paid in advance on or before the first day of July of each year. It shall be unlawful to permit any dog to be on any public street, sidewalk, alley or other public place unless such dog has a collar firmly attached around his neck with a license tax for the current year attached to such collar. It shall be unlawful to permit any dog to run at large within the municipality. Any dog found upon any public street, sidewalk, alley, parkway or any unenclosed place shall be deemed running at large unless such dog is firmly held on a leash or in an enclosed vehicle.

It shall be unlawful to permit any dog which is not on a leash, under control or muzzled to be in any public street, parkway, sidewalk, park, in any store or place of public gathering or in any place in the municipality other than in an enclosed area unless such dog has been inoculated against rabies by a licensed veterinarian within the preceding year.

Any person, firm or corporation violating this ordinance shall be fined not less than $1.00 nor more than $50.00 for each offense and a separate offense shall be deemed committed on each day during or on which a violation occurs or continues.

Dog licenses may be purchased at the office of Victor C. Propp, Village Clerk, 6825 West 173rd Place, Tinley Park, during regular office hours.

Dated this 18 day of Dec., 1958.
Victor C. Propp, Village Clerk
Publish Dec. 18 & Dec. 24, 1958.

NOTICE OF CLAIM DAY

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons that February 2, 1959 is the claim date in the estate of David T. Reese, deceased, pending in the Probate Court of Will County, Illinois, and that claims may be filed against the said estate on or before said date without issuance of summons.

MARGARET WEIBEL,
Executor
Charles H. Blim, Attorney
December 19, 1958.
Dec. 25; Jan. 1, 8 1959

NOTICE OF CLAIM DAY

Notice is hereby given to all persons that February 2, 1959 is the claim date in the estate of James A. Pyle deceased, pending in the Probate Court of Will county, Illinois, and that claims may be filed against the said estate on or before said date without issuance of summons.

THOMAS FRED PYLE
ORVILLE PYLE,
Administrators
Krusemark & Bertani
Attorneys
December 15, 1958
12:25, 1:1,8

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STATE OF ILLINOIS
COUNTY OF WILL, SS
IN THE COUNTY OF WILL COUNTY
ALBERT E. BEVAN, ET AL,
Petitioners,
VS.
DONNA JEAN CASTEEL, A MINOR, ET AL,
Defendants. CASE NO. 10-547

The requisite affidavit for publication having been filed, notice is hereby given you, Elizabeth Irene Casteel, defendant in the above-entitled suit, that the above suit has been commenced in the County Court of Will County by the Petitioners against you and other defendants, praying for the adoption of Donna Jean Casteel, a female minor child, and for other relief; that summons was duly issued out of said court against you as provided by law, and that the said suit is still pending.

Now, therefore, unless you, Elizabeth Irene Casteel, the said defendant, file your answer to the petition in said suit or otherwise make your appearance therein, in the said County Court of Will County, held in the court house in the city of Joliet, Illinois, on or before the third Monday in the month of February, 1959, being the 16th day of February 1959, default may be entered against you at any time after that day and a decree entered in accordance with the prayer of said petition.

Dated this 18th day of December, 1958.
JOSEPH H. HARTLEY
Clerk
Dale G. Nicholson,
Attorney for Petitioners
25 North Ottawa Street
Joliet, Illinois.
Telephone: 7-2676
Des. 25; Jan. 1, 8

ORDINANCE NO. 186

AN ORDINANCE DESIGNATING CERTAIN PORTIONS OF CERTAIN STREETS AS THROUGH STREETS AND REQUIRING VEHICULAR TRAFFIC TO STOP BEFORE ENTERING SUCH STREETS.

BE IT ORDAINED by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Orland Park, Cook County, Illinois, as follows:

Section 1

THROUGH STREETS DESIGNATED. That United States Route 45 at its intersection with the driveways providing ingress and egress to the parking lot of the Orland Park Shopping Center and 143rd st. at its intersection with the driveways providing ingress and egress to the parking lot of the Orland Park Shopping Center are each hereby designated as through streets and all vehicles traveling in said aforementioned driveways are hereby required to come to a full stop before entering said United States Route 45 and 143rd Street.

Section 2

SIGNS TO BE ERECTED. Appropriate signs shall be placed at the aforementioned intersections, which signs in each instance shall be placed so as to inform the public that all vehicles entering United States Route 45 and 143rd Street from the aforementioned driveways shall come to a full stop before entering said United States Route 45 and 143rd Street.

Section 3

PENALTIES. Any person who violates any of the provisions of this ordinance, shall upon conviction thereof, be fined not less than One and no/100 Dollars nor more than Twenty-five and no/100 Dollars for each offence of which such person shall be convicted.

Section 4

REPEAL. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed so far as they conflict herewith

Section 5

EFFECTIVE DATE. This ordinance shall become and be effictive immediately upon its passage, approval and publication in the manner provided by law.

Passed this 15th day of December, 1958.
KENNETH A. HALVORSON
Village Clerk
APPROVED this 15th day of December, 1958.
W. R. SCHUSSLER, JR.
Village President
December 25, 1958.

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 12th day of January at the hour of 8 p. m. in the Model House in the city of Country Club Hills there will be held a public hearing on the tentative report and proposed zoning ordinance prepared by the zoning commission of the city, at which time and place all persons interested will be afforded an opportunity to be heard.

Copies of the proposed ordinance are on file in the office of the city clerk, and are accessible for examination by any interested person.

Zoning Commission of the city of Country Club Hills.
By BEVERLY KINDLE,
Secretary Zoning Commission of Country Club Hills.

Cards of Thanks

CARD OF THANKS

We want to extend our thanks to the Inhalator squad of Tinley Park Fire Dept., the Police Dept., and Dr. Feldmann for their efficient service Friday evening when our son Donny had to be taken to the hospital. Also to Father O'Connel for his visits. Donny is home and well now. Our heartfelt thanks to everyone who helped.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Konley

CARD OF THANKS

We want to extend our thanks and appreciation to all who helped us and who sent cards while I was in the hospital and since returning home.

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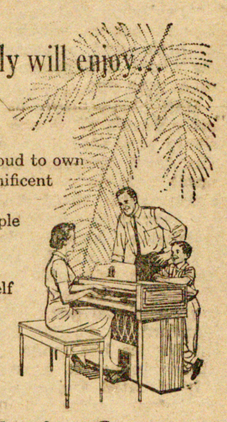
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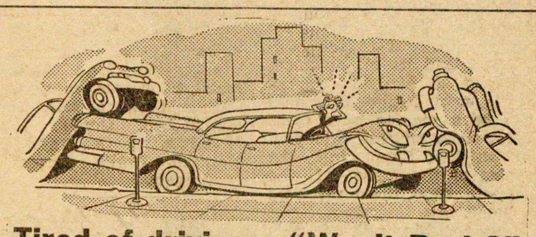
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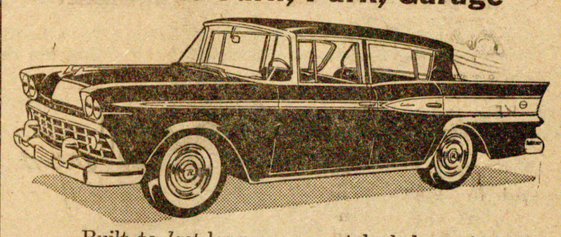
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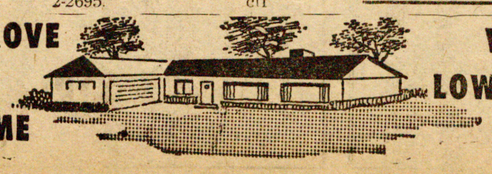
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Business and Finance

By MAURICE P. ANGLAND

We still hear people talking of December and January being poor times to invest. As a matter of record the market usually rises in December and early January On an "average" the market low of December is about 5 per cent below the high of January.

It is difficult to buy an "average" as, for example, the New York Stock Exchange has more than 1500 stocks listed. Each of the firms represented by those shares, is an individual company and with individual fortunes and misfortunes.

Over and over it has been proven that the time to invest is when funds are available. Only crystal clear hindsight points up the periods when investment could have been made most advantageously. The most successful investment method has been regular amounts at regular periods without regard to market prices or apparent conditions at the particular time. There never has been an ideal time to invest except in hindsight.

The year 1958 is closing on very cheerful business news. The estimate of automobile sales for 1959 has been raised to about 6 million cars. Strikes have held back expansion of auto sales. The increase should be felt in the many lines affected by auto production.

Christmas retail sales are expected to break records. The increase over 1957 is expected to be close to $1 billion and to be spread generally thru all lines, including washers, dryers, television sets etc.

Steel production which usually slows down this time of year, is holding at 75 percent of capacity.

Electric power, another record high and expected to show about a 6 percent gain over a year ago.

Natural gas pipe lines are expected to be aggressively expanded in 1959. The U. S. Supreme Court upset a lower court's decision which the industry felt was unfair and made expansion unprofitable.

The result will be addition of considerable gas supplies to the many need ing additional gas.

Standard- & Poor's Investment Service has made a list of those industries most favorably situated and likely to benefit from business increases in 1959.

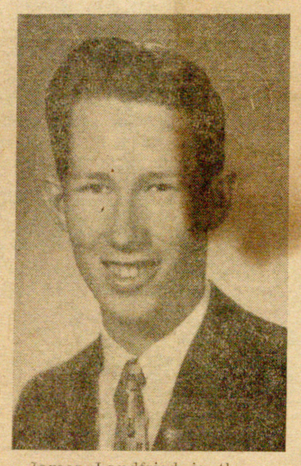
Automobiles, Building (cement), Chemicals, Coal (Bituminous), Copper, Machinery (agricultural) machinery (earth moving & construction), Machinery (steam generating), Oil (crude producers), Oil (Integrated companies), Oil (International.)

Paper, Railroads, Rayon and Acetate yarn, Retail Trade (Dept. stores), Steel and Textile Weavers.

The oils have been somewhat neglected due to over production which was due somewhat to the Suez Canal crisis, and the political move of Egypts Nasser. Now it appears that Nasser's grandiose plans for control of the Middle East and its oil revenues, is not at all likely of success in the near future. It would have been nice to have these oil revenues pouring into poverty stricken Egypt, but the peoples of the areas of the oil itself, want these revenues at home. An important point is that the big bulk of this oil goes to customers of the western world. Russia has desired control of the Mideast long before the advent of the Communists in Russia. History shows us that Russian expansionist moves are no different than those of the Czars. The Communists have merely been more ruthless and more successful.

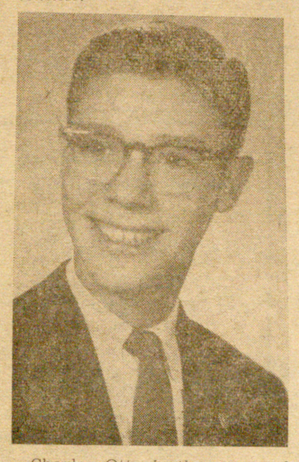
L-W Semi-Finalists in State Scholarship Exam

Patricia Bradley is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Bradley, 80th Avenue, Frankfort. Pat plans to continue her education at Northwestern, majoring in math and plans to become a secondary math teacher.



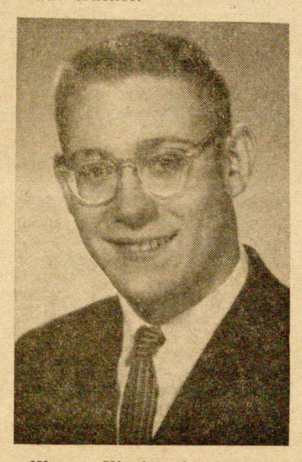
James Landfried is the son of W. L. Landfried, Route 1, Mokena. James plans to continue his education at Illinois Institute of Technology, majoring in engineering.

Dona Anderson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Anderson, 214 Haven avenue, New Lenox. Dona plans to continue her education at the University of Illinois and plans to become a secondary math teacher.



Charles Otto is the son of Dr. and Mrs. Claude Otto, 236 Nebraska, Frankfort. Charles' plans are indefinite at the present time, but he is planning a carrer in science or medicine.

Marie LaVinn is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul LaVinn, 125 Fir street, New Lenox. Marie plans to continue her education at the University of Illinois with a major in Home Economics.



Wayne Klasing is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Klasing 136 Oakview, New Lenox. Wayne plans to further his education at Bradley with an engineering major.

Pipe Navy Chief 'Over The Side'

Frank C. Guetter, of 1501 West 135th st, Orland Park, was honored at retirement ceremonies on Sunday, Dec. 14, at the Naval Air Station at Glenview. He is a Chief Aviation Radioman, and retired after 25 years of service.

For the past ten years, Guetter has acted as leading chief of Naval Air Reserve squadrons VPML 54 and VP 721, attending drills on one weekend each month. Each year, with his squadron, he has "cruised" for 14 days of active duty.

Chief Guetter enlisted as an Seaman Apprentice in October 1930, and served on various destroyers attached to Destroyer Forces until 1936. After three years as a full time civilian, he reenlisted in the Naval Reserve at NAS Glenview in 1939. His squadron, VS 9, was activated in 1940. During the next six years, he served on the USS Heywood, a Navy transport, the old USS Ranger, with VS 38, the seaplane tender Albermarle, known as "Able Mable", and then was sent to Dunkeswell, England, where he lent his talents to VP 203 and VB 110.

Guetter acquired the DFC for assisting in sinking the Nazi Submarine U-805 in 1944. He was also awarded four Air Medals and the Purple Heart. In 1943 his plane was forced to "ditch" in the English Channel, and he spent 26 hours in a life raft.

Chief Guetter owns the Alert Detective Agency at 11 South LaSalle, and is a captain in the Palos Park police department. He is the first Organized Reservist to be retired at Glenview Naval Air Station.

HOLIDAY TRAFFIC—

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er of arrest as a trooper.

Morris said that 20 of the unmarked cars will patrol the northern section of the State with the remaining 17 scattered throughout the central and southern Illinois.

Illinois radio and television stations will participate in the Traffic Condition Red program by broadcasting safety messages throughout the holiday.

Campbell said he hopes the alert will prompt drivers to be especially watchful for potential accidents during the holiday.

He urged motorists to help reduce traffic hazards by making driving "a full time job". Speeding and driving after drinking are particularly dangerous during the holiday season, he said, because they add to the hazards already created by heavy traffic and the usual winter driving hazards.

Illinois traffic accidents claimed 15 lives during the Christma s season last year. However, Campbell pointed out, the holiday last year was only three days in length while the Christmas holidays this year last four days and six hours.

The Christmas safety campaign opened Dec. 15 with "Traffic Condition Yellow". This alert was designed to warn motorists of holiday driving hazards before the holiday actually began.

'Tis education forms the common mind:
Just as the twig is bent the tree's inclined.
—Alexander Pope

Lincolnwood

Residents Will Entertain Guests Christmas Day

By DELORES ANDERSON
New Lenox 3651

Christmas Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Oldt and family will entertain at a one o'clock dinner in their home. Guests will be Mr. and Mrs. James A. Flaherty, Mr. and Mrs. James B. Flaherty, and son of Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wentzel and sons of Kewanna, Ind., Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Anderson of Miami, Fla., Mrs. Inez Campbell and Miss Pauline Henry of Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford White and family entertained at an early Christmas dinner in their home Dec. 21. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Domke and family, Herbert Hinkle, Mrs. Julia Evans, Bill Hinkle and Miss Toby Tincher.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Orey and family will entertain for the holidays their parents, Mr. and Mrs Charles Higbie and Miss Nancy Higbie of Hastings, Mich., Mr. and Mrs. Michael Orey Sr., of South Bend, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor and daughters Barbara and Kathy will go to Eola, to attend a family gathering in the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ascott and family.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Thode will be their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. William Mott and children of Minneapolis, Minn., and Mr. and Mrs. George Thode and son Kurt of Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Konkel and children will entertain in their home her brother, Jim Baher of New York; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Baher of Joliet, and another brother Robert, of Joliet.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Crisman and family will entertain at a large family gathering in their home. Guests will be his mother, Mrs. Wilson Crisman, Oak Park; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Watson and Miss Barbara Watson and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Meeg, of Chicago. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs Harvey Frick and her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Evans Drotts of New Lenox.

It was in making education not only common to all, but in some sense compulsory on all that the destiny of the free republics of America was practically settled. —James Russell Lowell.

SCOUT NEWS

Pack 8 New Lenox

At a recent meeting of Cub Scouts of Pack 8, the following awards were given:

Lion: Irvan Darnall, Frank Knowles. Bear: Billy Clark, and Ronald Harrison.

Arrow points: Billy Petyko, Frank Knowles, Chas. Avon, Billy McCure, Ronald Harrison Jack Tomanek, Billy Clark and Mike Hackly.

Webelos: Howard Grimes, and Service star, Jack Tomanek.

Bobcats: Larry Lindstrom, Lee Warner, Glenn Scuteri, Richard Purler, Dennis Pecenjak, Wayne Mooney, Kent Corrie. Keith Bachmann, Jerry Nelson, Donald Schroeder, David Sproat, Danny Brown, Robert Genens, William Genens Peter Passas, David Pollock, Lester Troutman, Raymond Stoddard and Lloyd Stoddard.

Girl Scout News

The second annual Camp Manistee reunion will be held Dec. 27, at Camp Thorn Creek from 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. All girls who attended Camp Manistee during the 1958 season are invited to attend.

The girls who were counselors in training are in charge of the program. Such things as games, skits, singing, folk dancing, and a flag ceremony have been planned. Arrangements have been made to show pictures that were taken during the summer camping sessions.

Girls are asked to remember that this will be an outdoor program and to wear warm clothes and boots. Campers are to provide their own nosebag-lunches and cocoa will be provided.

Many of the counselors who were at Camp Thorn Creek this summer will attend. About 500 people may attend this reunion.

Camp Manistee is the established camp owned and operated by the South Cook County Girl Scout Council. It is located at Montague, Michigan and accomodates girls ranging in age from seven to seventeen years old.

Girls who wish to attend, but did not receive information about the reunion may drop a note to the Girl Scout office with their name and their parents signature with a note of permission for attendance.

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Alpine Girls

The Alpine girls and Orland boys held their acheivement meetings together in the Maue school, during the girls' portion Kay Maue, presided. She welcomed the new members: Carol Ann Bettenhausen, Kathey Doctor, Pamela Mary Koester and Diane Kay Coleman. They each lit a candle and all repeated the 4-H creed.

The entire club presented a musical on the life and songs of Stephen Foster. Elaine Yunker accompanied on the piano. Kay Maue gave a demonstration on making decorative candle holders of cans.

Joan Stellwagen played a piano solo Serenade (Staendchen) by Franz Schubert.

Betty Jean Stellwagen gave a demonstration on making sweet rolls. Mrs. Harold Stellwagen presented the awards.

NEW LENOX TAX—

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Real estate is re-assessed every four years. This was the year for it to be done in Will county.

Former treasurer Floyd Krapf announced before the assessors took the field that if the valuations were brought up this year to equal 55% of their market price, it was his understanding that the state department of revenue would give the county a multiplier of one.

Under state law the state department of revenue furnishes each county with a factor, which if used as a multiplier will bring the assessed valuation up to so-called full valuation which in reality would be 55% of the market price. After the multiplier is used the figure obtained is called the equalized assessed valuation. Thus if a factor of one is given Will county the assessed valuation would become the equalized assessed valuation.

It was to get such a figure that the present assessment was launched.

According to the books at the court house, New Lenox, Frankfort and Crete townships have been assessed much lower than the other townships. It is also stated that while the other townships now have such valuations that a one factor would be insured, New Lenox, Frankfort and Crete are still below them. The figures for these three townships are said to range from 31 to 33 per cent of the fair market value instead of 55 per cent.

It is all unofficial but from usually reliable sources it was learned that the department of revenue will not give a one factor to the county because of the three townships named above but it is expected to be close--possibly ranging from 1.02 to 1.04.

OH, BROTHER!

From Farm Journal: "Government agents in Indiana impound the two tractors that a farmer owns. In Michigan, they tie up a farmer's $3,400 bank account. Two Oklahoma ranchers are hauled into court in Dallas, Tex., and sued for $502.06.

"What crimes did these men commit? They planted wheat beyond the 30-acre limit, to feed their own stock, without a government permit or allotment! Government agents aren't to blame—they're only enforcing a law that Congress passed. Nevertheless in this land of the free such events seem incredible! How ridiculous can a law get? When the lawmakers return in January, let's change it."

Mokena

Sacred Heart High School Will Sponsor Christmas Dance Dec. 30

By MRS. PATRICIA WARNER
Mokena 2721

Sacred Heart high school will sponsor a semi formal Christmas dance, Dec. 30. It will be held at Valley View Farm in the Rhythm barn.

Celebrating her 14th birthday, Carol Sherwood entertained 16 boys and girls at a toboggan party Dec. 14. Following the party refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry G. Koenig former Mokena residents, now of St. Petersburg, Fla., had the good fortune recently of celebrating their golden wedding anniversary. They were real happy to have received cards and gifts from so many of their Mokena friends on that occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Welsch entertained in their home Tuesday evening, Dr. and Mrs Joseph P. Petnuch, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Clarke, Mr. and Mrs. James Konecny; and Mr. and Mrs. George Carlisle. The children and their parents spent a pleasant evening visiting and singing Christmas carols. Refreshments were served.

Joan and Marilyn Sorensen are surgical patients in Silver Cross hospital. Joan had an emergency appendectomy Friday and Marilyn had a goiter removed Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jarchow have moved into their new home on Francis rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Steward Shoop will spend Christmas Eve with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Marshall at New Lenox.

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Mrs. Walter Welsch entertained her bridge club, The Nineteen's and their husbands, in her home Friday evening. A pot luck supper was enjoyed and a gift exchange.

Roy D. Kropp and Norman Strassenburg recently purchased 41 Aberdeen-Angus cows and a registered Angus bull from Brakley Bros., Lemont.

In a recent letter from Kenneth Oldendorf who is serving in VX-5 Ordinance, NAF at China Lake, Calif., he states that he enjoys reading the News-Bulletin each week, and learning what is happening around Mokena. He says the paper is looking real good and that he is going to miss the shop's Christmas party this year. Temperature at China Lake ranges around 70 degrees each day and about 35 at night. Many early mornings there is a little ice on the water puddles but by 9 a.m. everything starts warming up.

Mr. and Mrs. John Roesener and Mrs. Lydia Ryan drove to the Bensonville Old People's home Sunday and visited with the latter's brother Erhardt Oswald. He is hale and hearty and enjoys his home there and also hearing from the local friends.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Whiteside, Zion, Ill., Sunday, Dec. 21. The baby weighed six pounds, six ounces and has been given the name of David Wayne. His brother, Gregory, 3, will welcome David and his mother, the former Ursula Thiel home.

The junior department of the Methodist church went caroling last Friday night. At its conclusion, all gathered in the social room of the church and enjoyed a taffy pull. Mrs. Vivian Shoop, Mrs. Hugo Niethammer and Mrs. Roy W. Peterson accompanied the group.

Christmas Schedule

George Marti will spend the day in the home of his son John and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Spiess and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Spiess and family will be guests of their daughter and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bausor in Blue Island.

The Everett Cooper family will have a pleasant day with their family, with Katherine and Jim home from Illinois university. This year their daughter Jean will not be home as her duties as physical therapist in the hospital prevents her joining her family at this time.

Mayor James Marti and family and Mrs. Celia Cooper and daughter Paulette, George Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wink and daughter June will have a family gathering in their home Christmas Eve.

In the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Ebert will be her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Hoger and her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Hogar all from Matteson.

Mrs. Lydia Ryan will spend the day with her sister, Mrs. Louise Schweiser and daughter Miss Margerite at Joliet.

With Mr. and Mrs. Elias Brown and family will be her mother, Mrs. Stella Willey of Minneapolis, Minn., and her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Willey and children June, Jerry and Jay from Joliet.

With Mr. and Mrs. William Welsch, Briarwood ave., will be their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Welsch, Mokena, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Buschmann, Mokena.

Mr. and Mrs. Gunter Thiel of Peoria and children will spend the day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ludwig Thiel.

Mr. and Mrs. Kendall Myers of Oregon, Ill., and Miss Beth Rose from the University of Wisconsin will be guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rose, Third st.

At a family Christmas Eve gathering in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Niethammer will be their daughter Mr. and Mrs. Don Reiter and family, Joliet; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Will Barenz and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Sievert. The next day, Mr. and Mrs. Niethammer and Mrs. Ruth Schneider will spend with the Reiters in Joliet.

A Christmas breakfast will be served in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Sievert. Present will be Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cooper, Mrs. Emma Cappel, Mr. and Mrs. David McMillan and Mr. and Mrs. Will Barenz and daughter Janice.

Guests in the David McMillan home for dinner will be Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cooper, and Mr. and Mrs. Will Barenz and daughter. Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Sievert will spend the day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sievert in New Lenox.

PTA News

DOCTOR SCHOOL

The PTA of the Doctor school of Orland township, met last Thursday evening in the school with Mrs. Lyna Carl presiding.

Announcements were made that the PTA is serving hot lunches to the pupils twice a month, and that room mothers will conduct Christmas parties for all pupils next week.

An invitation has been received inviting all Doctor school PTA members to attend the January meeting of the Tinley Park PTA to be held in the Central school, in Tinley Park.

Following the business session an enjoyable Christmas party was presented by Mrs. Vivian Shoop and the first and second grade pupils. This was the first public appearance these pupils have made as members of the rhythm band.

After the gift exchange a social hour was enjoyed. Mrs Charles Stewart, Mrs. Donald Maue, Mrs. Gordon Doctor, Mrs. Herman Gee and Mrs. Melburn Dralle served refreshments.

"The key to many a family row is the one that fits the car."

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CHANGE IN BANKING HOURS
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Friday Evening Hours will be discontinued after above date
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O, come all ye faithful...

Reverently, joyfully, the glory of Christmas is sung and celebrated. As we lift our voices in those beloved Christmas carols, may our hearts be filled anew with the wondrous spirit that came to earth on the Holy Night when He was born and the angels sang. May we find fresh inspiration in the message of "Peace on Earth, Good Will toward Men," to guide us at the Christmas season, and always.

HAPPY HOLIDAY

We welcome the holiday season with the sincere hope that it proves to be the happiest one ever for you and your family.

FRED GOEBEL INSURANCE
TINLEY PARK, ILL.

Yule not always celebrated Dec. 25

Like Easter, Christmas was once a movable feast, celebrated on a different date each year.

In 337 A.D. St. Cyril, bishop of Jerusalem, with the permission of Pope Junius I, appointed a commission to determine, if possible, the precise date of Christ's nativity.

The theologians finally agreed upon December 25, and since the year 354 this date has been celebrated.

Greetings To All

. . . of our many friends. We hope you have great happiness this Christmas.

THERESA'S BEAUTY SHOP
TINLEY PARK, ILL.

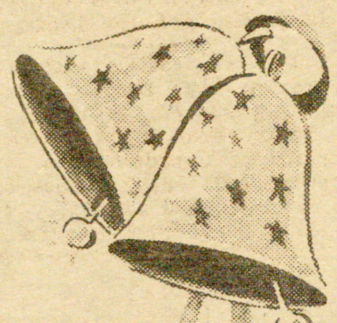
We're wishing you an absolutely heavenly Christmas . . . bright as a star, carefree as a cloud.

TINLEY BOWLING LANES
TINLEY PARK, ILL.

CHEERIO

We're joining Santa in sending best wishes for a very happy holiday to everyone, everywhere!

NEW LENOX STANDARD SERVICE
NEW LENOX, ILL.



Season's Greetings

Frank's Superette
Cedar and Rt. 30
New Lenox, Ill.

A-HOY IT'S CHRISTMAS

We're setting our sights on a Christmas season that finds our friends in the very best of good health and spirits.

ORLAND HARDWARE
Orland Park, Ill.

Let us rejoice, for once again Christmas is here, to lift our hearts with its inspiring promise of peace on earth . . . good will toward all men.

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Christmas is giving . . . Christmas is receiving . . . Christmas is a spirit of abiding good will. May all these be yours in abundance at this holiday season.

DR. CARLOS E. SARMIENTO
TINLEY PARK, ILL.

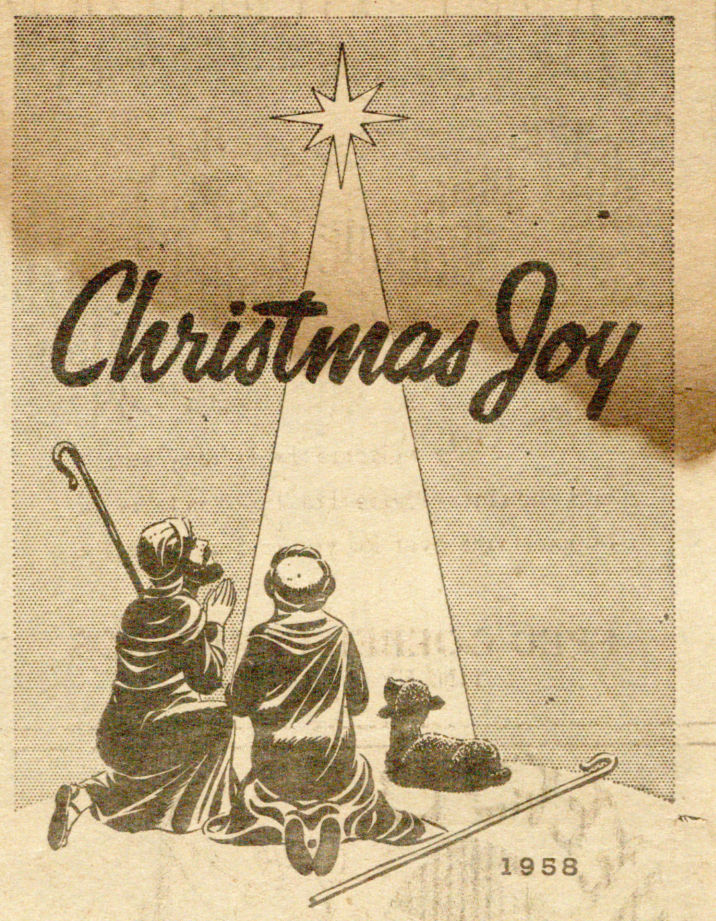
Elliott's Rexall Pharmacy
New Lenox, Ill.

Jack's Lunch
New Lenox, Ill.

"CHRISTMAS"

It happend on one Christmas Eve
That God looked down and cried.
He gazed upon the earth below
With grief He could not hide.
The world He'd made with His own hands,
And saved with His own blood—
Once more it lay in war and hate,
And sin, as black as mud.
Those blessed tears fell down through space,
And pure as snow they came.
Covering up with a blanket of white,
A world of sin and shame.
Then God called Goodness to His side
And asked Him to depart
Down to the earth to wake mankind,
And comfort every heart.
So swiftly down to earth He came
And knocked, and begged, and cried,
"Open your hearts and let me in
For there would I abide."
So, being it was Christmas Day,
The world said: "Do come in.
But you may stay for just this day,
I must return to sin."
And so it was on Christmas Day
That God looked down and smiled.
Upon the hearts where Goodness reigned
And hate had been defiled.
Too soon the day was over,
But Goodness would not leave.
He stayed and pleaded, called, and knocked,
He cried and begged, and grieved.
He'll always be there knocking
At the hearts of all mankind,
Bringing gifts of love and joy,
New hope, and peace of mind.
Let it be not only Christmas,
That our hearts abandon sin,
But give our love to Him, above,
That He might dwell within.
By Joellen Jeffords Duehr

The World Book Encyclopedia reports that the cat gets special treatment during the Christmas season in the French sections of Canada. Tabby is well fed, because it's supposed to be bad luck if a cat meows in the house on Christmas Eve.



May the bright Star of Christmas light your way and fill your house with happiness. It is with genuine joy we extend these greetings to friends here and everywhere.

LOEBE REALTY CO.
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CAVETT DRUGS
TINLEY PARK, ILL.

May each moment of this Christmas season be a happy one.

Frankfort Grain
Frankfort, Ill.

Christmas Wishes

May this truly be a most enjoyable holiday for you and all those you love.

COOPER SHOW FORD
Frankfort, Ill.

Nativity Theme Most Popular

The Nativity theme is by far the most popular of all Christmas card illustrations. Many are reproductions from the old masters, but each year others are created especially for the Christmas card industry.

Winter scenes are next in popularity. Some of these scenes date back to the work of early masters but in recent years many new artists, such as Grandma Moses, have achieved fame in this field. For over a century, American artists have aided the industry by painting Christmas themes or by selling reproduction rights to their works.

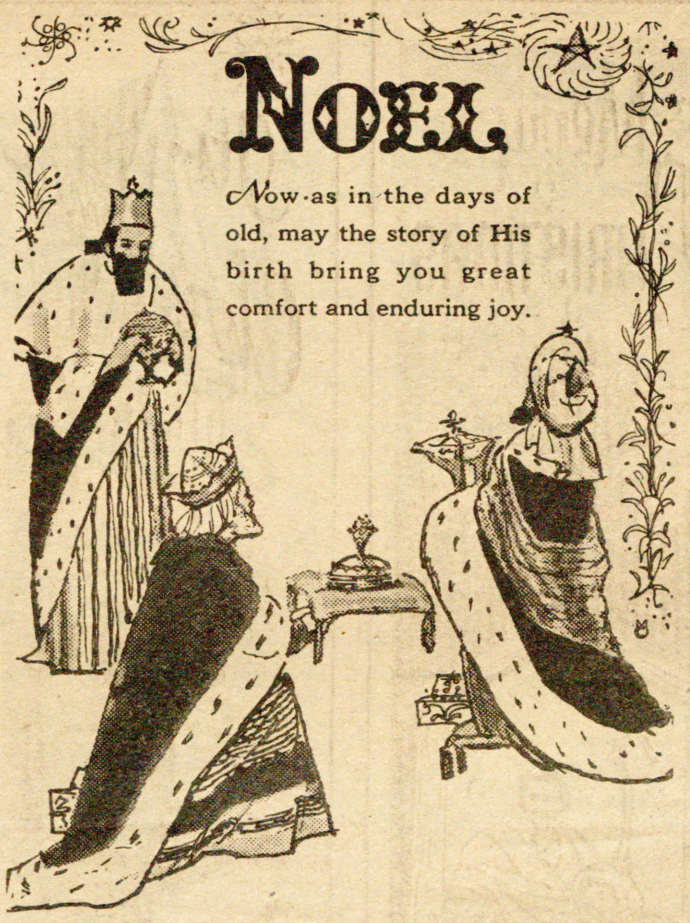
We wish all our friends a very joyous and cheerful Christmas Season.

PARK-IN
RESTAURANT
TINLEY PARK, ILL.

Season's Greetings

As Santa said to the reindeer, "It's a real privilege to serve so many wonderful people." We are proud and thankful for the privilege of serving you, and we wish you a very happy holiday.

HUTCHINS CLEANERS
NEW LENOX, ILL.



Now as in the days of old, may the story of His birth bring you great comfort and enduring joy.

VOGT'S SHOPPING CENTER
TINLEY PARK, ILL.

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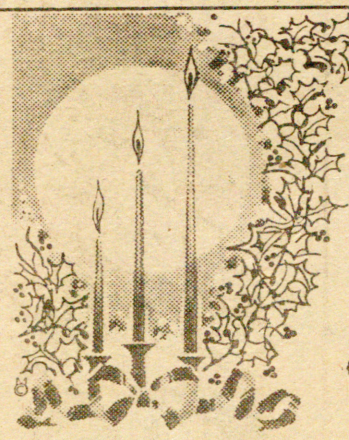
Mokena, Ill.

You have made this a happy business year for us. We are most grateful.

Halley and David NOBLE
MOKENA, ILL.

Sincerest Wishes
that your holiday be filled
with peace and contentment

SCHIEK'S DAIRY
MOKENA, ILL.



Greetings of the SEASON

May your holiday be aglow with good cheer!

Chas. Burkhardt
& SONS
Mokena, Ill.

Merry Christmas

TO ALL OUR FRIENDS,
NEIGHBORS AND PATRONS

Richardson's
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Mokena, Ill.

Merry Christmas

We wish you the blessings of this holy season.
THE KLOTZ FAMILY

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ORLAND PARK, ILL.

It's Christmas

And it is our Christmas wish for you that every holiday joy will come your way, to be followed by a glorious New Year.

LOEBE BROS.
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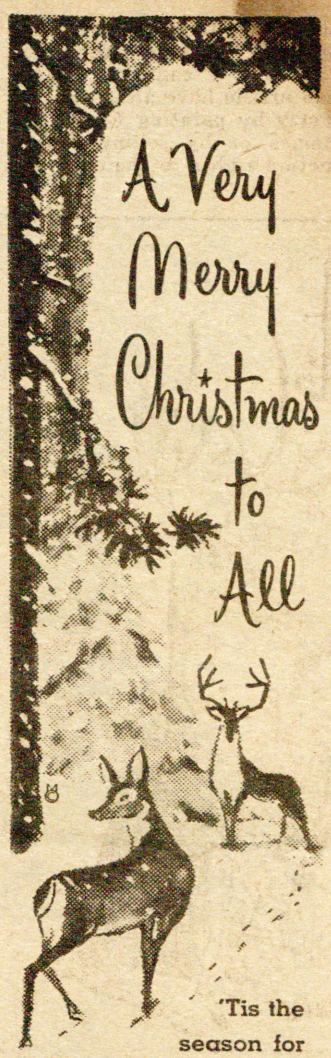
A Very Merry Christmas to All



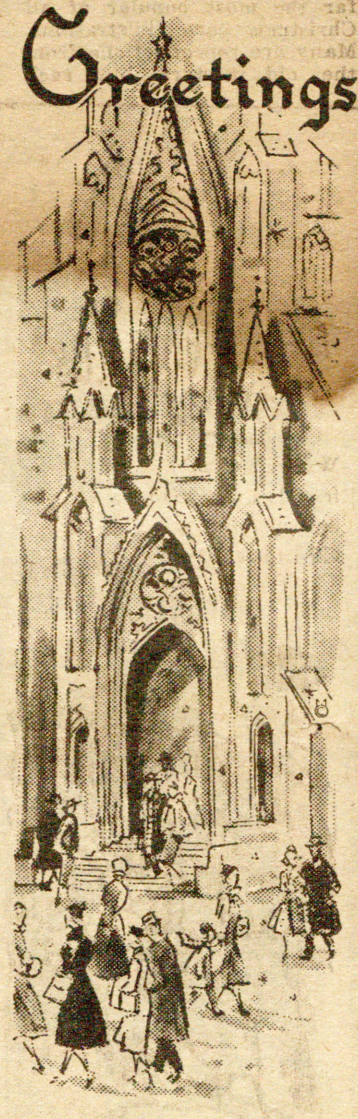
'Tis the season for us to wish one and all a memorable and merry Christmas.

KIRK'S GRILL
ORLAND PARK. ILL.

greetings for Christmas

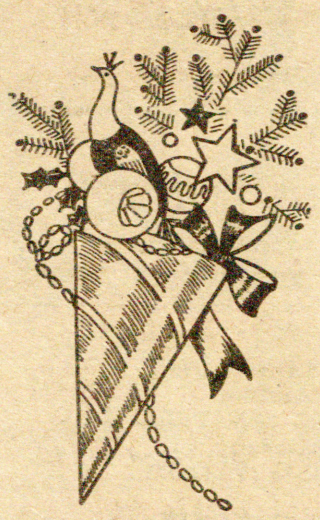
Davey's Lanes
New Lenox, Ill.

Christmas Greetings



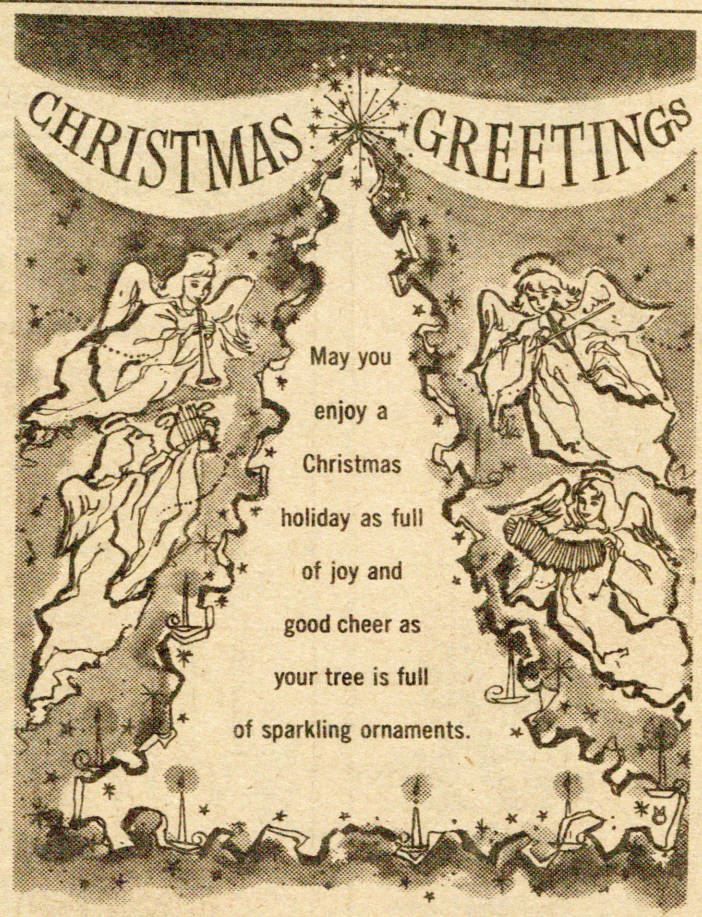
Harvey Frick
INSURANCE AGENCY
New Lenox, Ill.

Merry Christmas



Our sincere wish for a most happy Holiday season.
TRY'S
Chicken Farm
TINLEY PARK, ILL.

CHRISTMAS GREETINGS



YUNKER IMPLEMENT
Orland Park, Ill.

Greetings of the Season

Merriest holiday wishes to you, friends and neighbors, and a full measure of the best things in life for now and always.

SCHULDT MOTOR SALES
TINLEY PARK, ILL.

Here's hoping that you
glide through the holidays without a
care, enjoying all life's greatest blessings in abundance.

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GREETINGS

This is the time of year when we take account of our assets. Among them all, we find none nearly so valuable as the confidence and good will of our patrons. To them go our hearty thanks and warmest holiday wishes.

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County Judge
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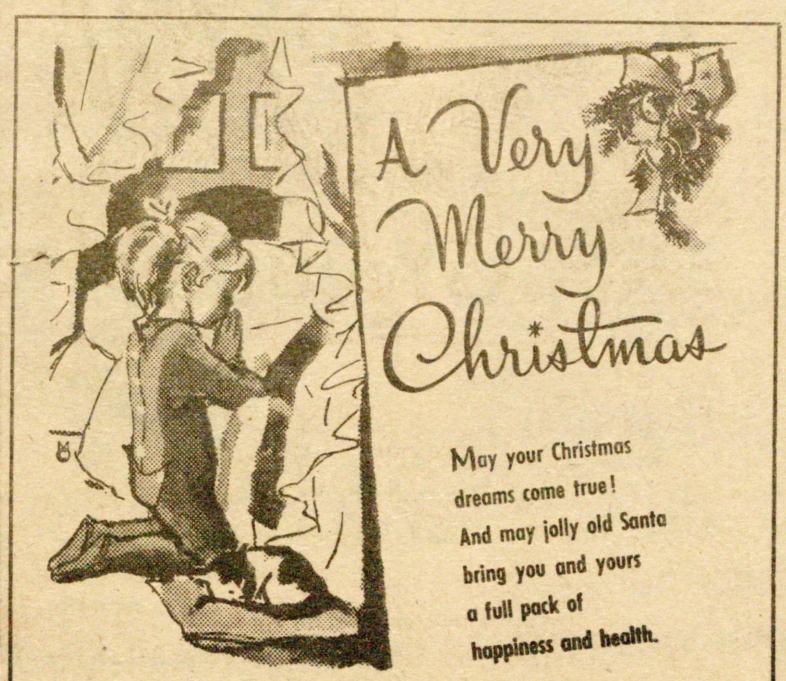
County Recorder



LEE'S SERVICE STATION
TINLEY PARK, ILL.

A President's Sons Revolted Against Ban on Christmas Trees

Teddy Roosevelt almost rode roughshod over the Christmas tree in his drive to conserve the nation's forests. But two little boys put the Christmas spirit—and the tree—back in the White House.

The Christmas tree was well-established in the United States when TR became president.

Research experts with The World Book Encyclopedia say a Harvard professor named Charles Follen set up one of the first known trees in America in 1832.

President Franklin Pierce put up a tree in the White House in the 1850's to entertain the Sunday school of the New York Avenue Presbyterian church. And President Benjamin Harrison continued the custom in the 1890's.

But some modern-day Scrooges convinced Roosevelt that the cutting of Christmas trees would soon deplete the nation's forests. T. R. promptly banned the tradition at the White House.

However, the old Roughrider forgot to consult his young sons. Archie and Quentin cared little about presidential edicts—and less about conservation. They smuggled a tree into the mansion on Pennsylvania Avenue and set it up in Archie's room.

The President relented, and ever since, the White House has had an indoor Christmas tree.

T. R.'s concession also sent the Christmas tree industry soaring beyond the dreams of one of its founders—a Catskill farmer who brought his trees to market in New York City in 1851. And it helped pave the way for a new custom — the community Christmas tree.

In 1924, a Norway spruce was planted near the White House and later dedicated as "a national living Christmas tree."

Two years later, a giant California redwood in King's Canyon national park, named General Grant after the Civil War hero, was dedicated as the "Nation's Christmas Tree."

Reaching 267 feet into the sky from a base 40 feet thick, the tree is second largest in the world.

Every year, nearby townspeople and visitors join in a holiday service and sing carols at the base of the sequoia, which was growing on the mountain slope when Christ was born in Bethlehem.

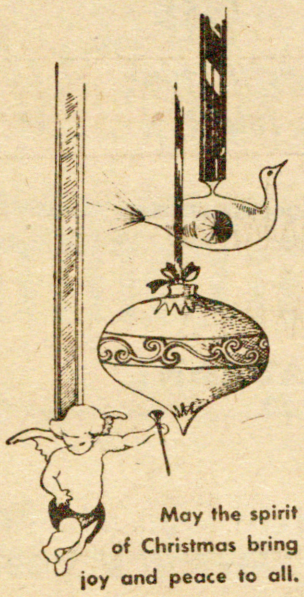
"Experience is something I always think I have, until I get more."—Burton Hills.

Greetings

We're ringing out our wishes to all our wonderful friends and patrons for the happiest of holidays . . . warm with fellowship and good cheer.

Grover C. Elmore
Realtors
17032 Oak Park Ave.
Tinley Park, Ill.

Merry Christmas



May the spirit of Christmas bring joy and peace to all.

HOBBY HOUSE
17260 OAK PARK AVE.
TINLEY PARK, ILL.

Peace

May the peace and good will of the first Christmas be with you and yours, always.

Henry Kohler
SALESMAN FOR
SERVICE BAKERY
TINLEY PARK, ILL.

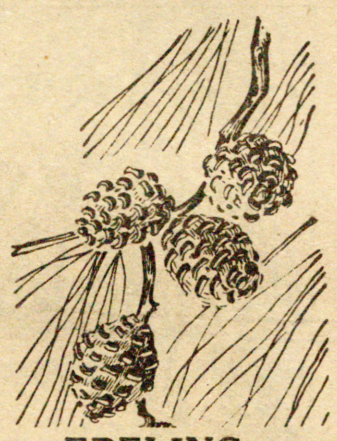
Merry Christmas

We wish for you good companionship and happiness this holiday season.

TINLEY PARK LAUNDROMAT
TINLEY PARK, ILL.

Merry Christmas

We want you to know we are thinking of you this Christmas season.



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Service Station
Orland Park, Ill.

Greetings
1958

To our customer and our fellow businessmen we extend season greetings.

Economy Food
New Lenox, Ill.

O, holy night

Let's make it a Christ centered Christmas and New Year

MARTIN'S
Poultry Service
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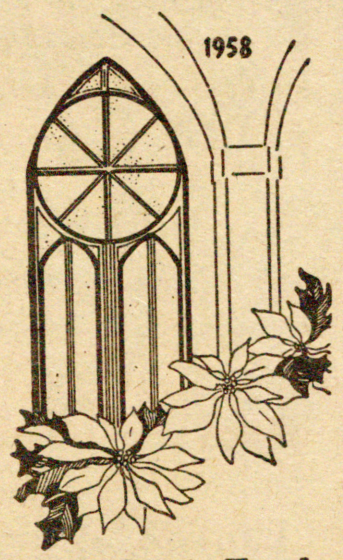
Holiday Greetings

To one and all: best wishes for a happy new year.

1958



Ralph Dini Feeds
TINLEY PARK, ILL.

Season's Greetings

DUTCH'S
Service Station
TINLEY PARK, ILL.

Greetings

Here's to you, our good friends and patrons... our sincere appreciation for the privilege of serving you and best wishes for a happy holiday season.

MOTTO'S FOODS

14419 S. CICERO MIDLOTHIAN, ILL.

Peace be with you and yours this day.

RITT'S RESTAURANT
Frankfort, Ill.

Cats special treatment during the Christmas season in the French sections of Canada. Tabby is well fed, because it's supposed to be bad luck if a cat meows in the house on Christmas Eve.

Merry Christmas

May your holiday be one of great joy and lasting peace.

John's Midwest Food Store
TINLEY PARK, ILL.

Greetings

May this Holiday Season be one that will remain in your memory as one of the happiest you ever had. A Merry Christmas to all!

ROY BENSON
Justice Of The Peace
ORLAND PARK, ILL.

Season's Greetings

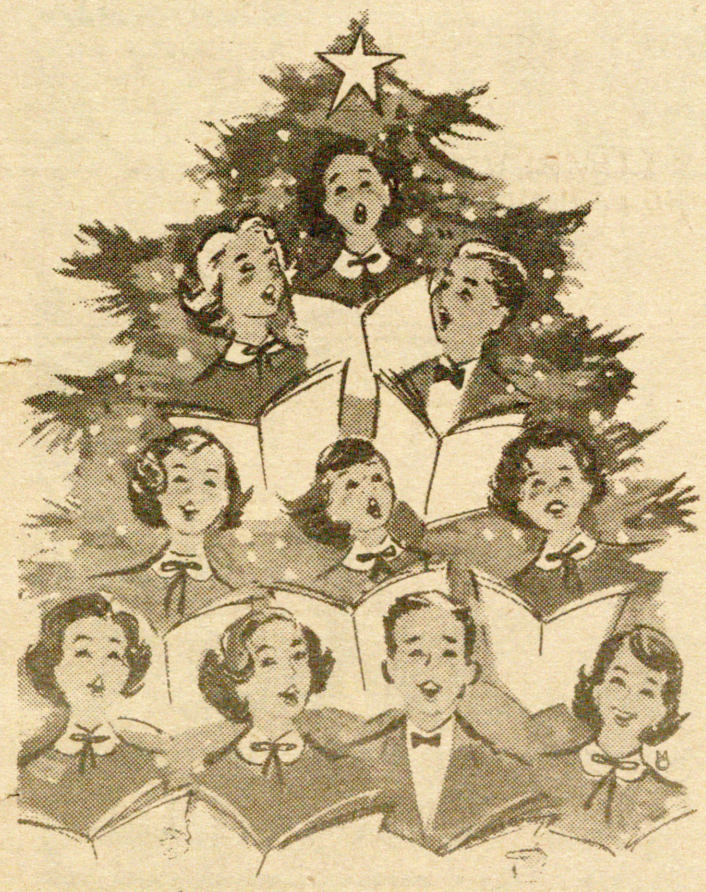
The cheeriest of greetings and good wishes to all our friends. May your holiday season be a happy one.

VAN DRUNEN
DIXIE HIGHWAY **HOMEWOOD, ILL.**

Greetings

Our best wishes, our grateful thanks to all our good friends, whose loyal patronage we value so highly. May you have a holiday season that's happy, hearty and healthy!

TINLEY SAVINGS & LOAN
TINLEY PARK, ILL.



Holiday Greetings

Warm and hearty good wishes to our friends and neighbors. As you deck the halls with boughs of holly...as you hark to joyful carols ...may the season bring you much happiness.

HARRY CLARKE, Committeeman
Bremen Township Regular Democratic Organization

Sincere CHRISTMAS WISHES

Oh, holy, peaceful Christmas! Let every heart rejoice in the spiritual inspiration and blessings of the season.

GROBARCIK'S ROYAL BLUE
Joe, Vicky, Florence, Joey, Rosemary & Don
MOKENA, ILL.

Joy to the World

As on that Holy Night of blessed memory, may the message of Christmas enter the hearts of mankind. May peace and good will be with you and yours.

JOHN BELLANTE AGENCY
TINLEY PARK, ILL.

To wish you
Holiday Cheer

At this festive season, we look back upon a year of meeting old friends and making new ones. To all go our hearty thanks and happiest greetings. May each and every one of you have the merriest holiday ever.

CULLIGAN SOFT WATER
TINLEY PARK, ILL.

To old friends, and to new friends we hope to earn, it is a pleasure to extend best wishes of the season.

BEATTY LUMBER CO.
ORLAND PARK, ILL.

RAY'S
Midwest Store
LINCOLN ESTATES
FRANKFORT, ILL.

Merry Christmas

To all our friends we send the warmest greetings of the season and our sincere wishes that you will have a Christmas that you will long remember for its hearty cheer and outstanding joy.

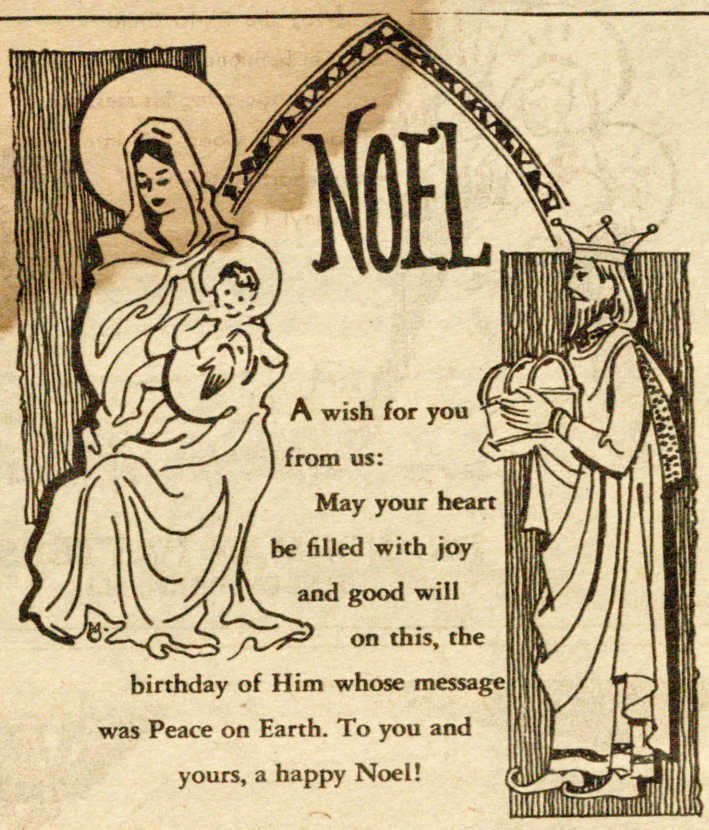
PEOPLES OUTFITTING STORE
JOLIET, ILL.

The custom of making New Year's resolutions can be traced to a peacock. The colorful bird was a favorite Christmas dish in early England, according to research experts with The World Book Encyclopedia. It was customary for knights to take the "vow of the peacock" by making their pledge for the new year with their right hand on the peacock.

Scandinavians serve a rich rice pudding containing one almond at their Christmas dinner. Some believe that the person who gets the almond will be married within a year.

We hope your glass overflows this Yule season with joy and great happiness.

VI'S HOUSE OF BEAUTY
TINLEY PARK, ILL.

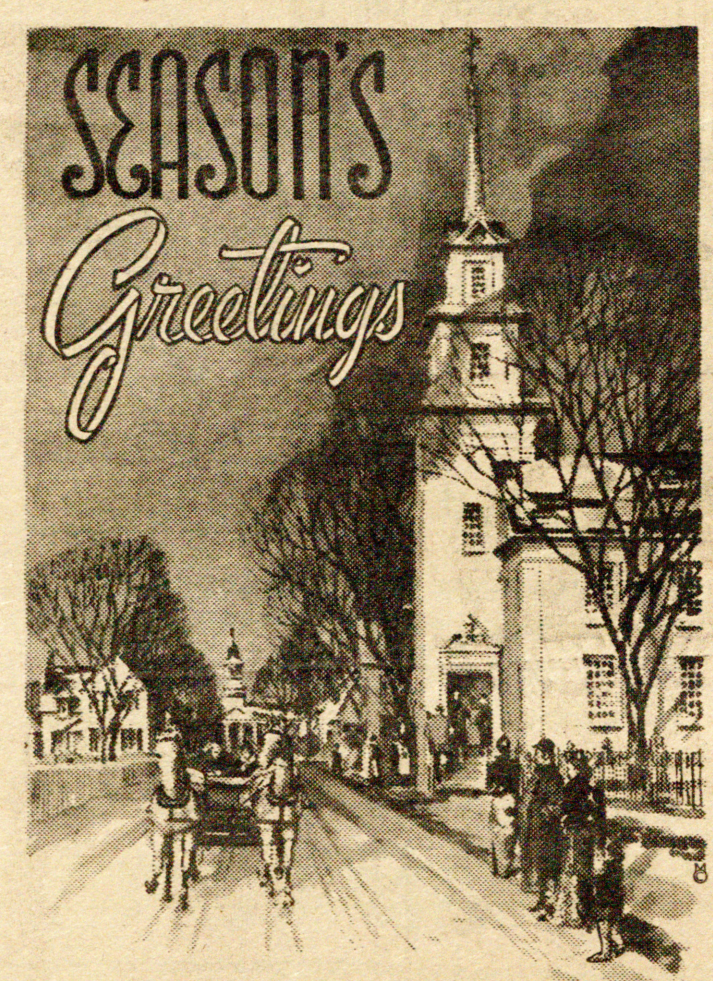


A wish for you from us:
May your heart be filled with joy and good will on this, the birthday of Him whose message was Peace on Earth. To you and yours, a happy Noel!

NEW LENOX LUMBER CO.
New Lenox, Mokena, Ill.

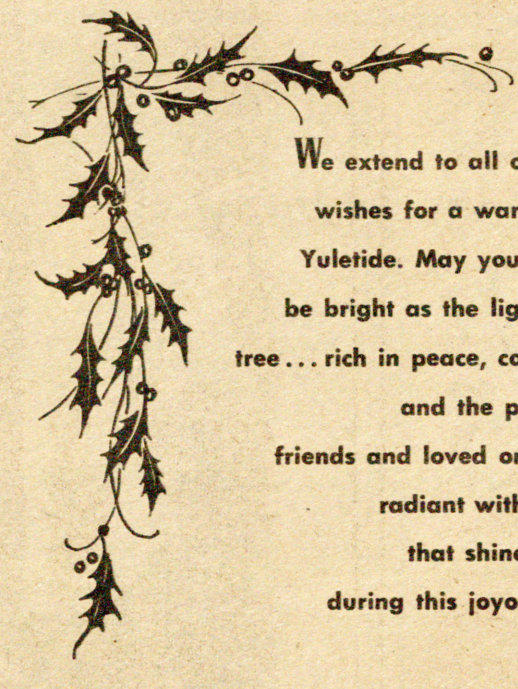
Come let us adore Him,
Child of Heaven, bearer of Peace...
and Good Will to all.

NORTH AMERICAN MUSHROOM
TINLEY PARK, ILL.



To our many good friends and neighbors, we send a special greeting at this wonderful season of the year. Heartily, we wish for all a holiday time glowing with happiness . . . packed with fun and festivity. And to all we say a most sincere "Thank You" for your patronage throughout the year.

BETTENHAUSEN HARDWARE
PHONE KE 2-4430 **TINLEY PARK, ILL.**
"IF IT IS HARDWARE SEE US"



We extend to all our sincere wishes for a warm-hearted Yuletide. May your holidays be bright as the lights on the tree . . . rich in peace, contentment and the presence of friends and loved ones . . . and radiant with the glory that shines over all during this joyous season.

DR. J. L. GONZALEZ, M. D.
DR. M. A. IRIGOYEN, M. D.
DR. H. G. SHAVEZ, M. D.
TINLEY PARK, ILL.

Merry Christmas

May happiness dwell upon every hearth.

Gene's Market
TINLEY PARK, ILL.

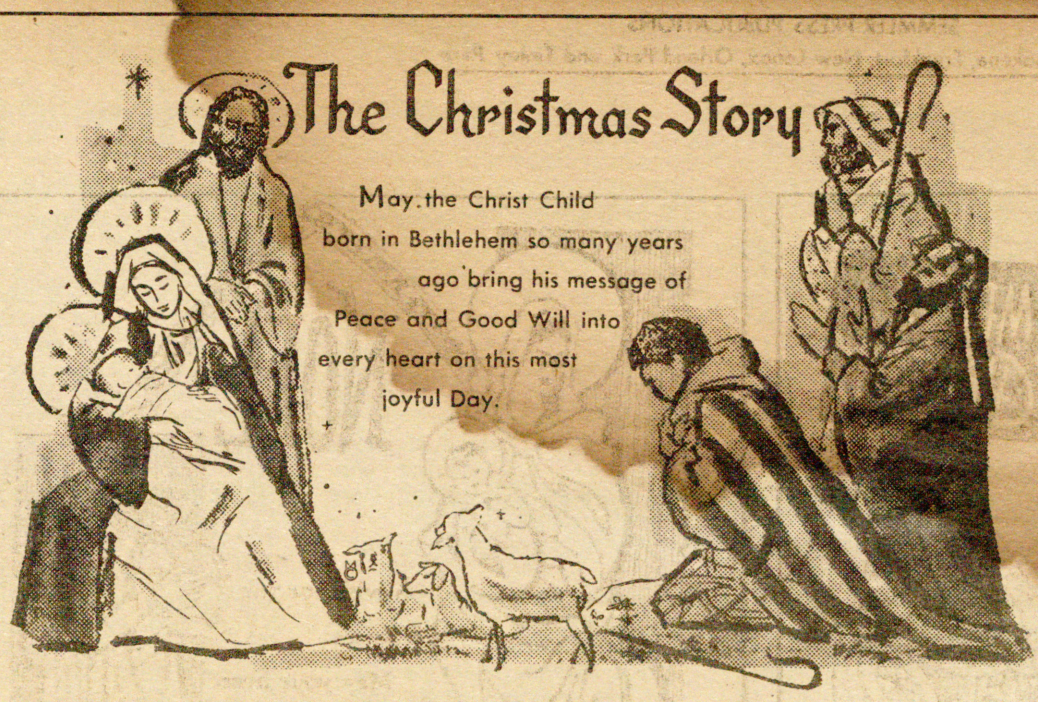
Discarded trees can be usable after Christmas

Many people find they have a problem of disposing of their Christmas tree after it is taken down. There are a number of things that can be done with it.

It can be put in the yard, if you live in a cold, snowy area, and from it you can hang suet, pieces of meat and dry bread for the birds.

Or, you can cut off the long branches and plant them as windbreaks to protect outdoor plantings. Teepees can be built around exposed shrubs and tended plants. This will protect them from wind and prevents snow and ice from accumulating and bending the plants out of shape.

Whatever you do, don't burn it in the fireplace, no matter how small it may be.



DR. NORMAN PATTERSON
TINLEY PARK, ILL.

To one and all of our good friends, we send our heartiest greetings and best wishes for a very happy holiday season, richly endowed with good times and good fellowship.

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Superstitions Associated With Christmas

JOHN W. ALLEN
(So. Ill. Univ.)

At this time for the past several years this column has told something of the origin, history and lore of Christmas and of Santa Claus. Little has been said, however, about the many superstitions that have become associated with the day, superstitions that relate to subjects varying from ashes and luck to weather. Since weather is always present and comes in for frequent discussion, some of the superstitions connecting it with Christmas come to mind.

According to one of the more common of the weather superstitions, it is not difficult to know how many snows may be expected during the winter. It is easy to determine. One has only to observe the date of the first snow and count the intervening days until Christmas to know the number of snows expected. This method gives a second chance to those who neglected to count the foggy mornings in August. For anyone who wishes to check the validity of this superstition, the first snowfall in this area came on Nov. 28. This obviously would assure 27 snows during the approaching winter, making it a "long hard winter".

There were other queer snow beliefs associated with the Christmas season. As examples, a snowy or white Christmas foretold a green Easter, fewer deaths in the coming year, and thus a "lean graveyard". The reverse of this superstition also was circulated. If Christmas were green or sunny, Easter would be cold and graveyards would grow "fat". A snowy Christmas also foretold a good fruit crop. If the wind were from the south, the prospects for a good peach crop were especially good.

By this same stock of superstitions, those wishing to know more about rain for each month of the coming year could gain that information by the use of a dozen onions (small were as good as large) and a few spoons of salt.

The end of each onion was cut and a small cavity was made in it. Into each hollowed cut an equal amount of salt was placed, and the onions were arranged in an ordered row on a shelf or table and named for the months of the year. They then were not disturbed and it was best that no one went near them. The next morning some of the named onions would have water in the cavities to foretell the rainy months. One more condition was to be observed. This entire ritual of preparation was to be carried out between 10 o'clock and midnight on Christmas Eve.

Other Christmas superstitions had to do with foods. If a head of cabbage was tied to the ceiling and nails driven into it, good luck for the coming year was assured. If one lacked the cabbage head and nails, he could secure equally good results by eating pork and blackeyed peas. If neither of the foregoing was available, the one wishing to have good luck could eat sauerkraut with equally good effects.

If one had a dog that he wished to guard against hydrophobia he had only to feed the pet some silver filings on buttered bread. The superstition does not say whether it should be toasted. This was to be done on Christmas Eve, but if the owner failed to do so, then equally good results could be had by feeding the same ration on New Year's Eve or the Eve of Epiphany. A superstition that came to Illinois from Germany offered farmers assurance that their livestock would be safe during the coming year from damage by witches if the stables were cleaned between Christmas and New Year's Day.

On Christmas Eve, the spirits talked and animals could talk to them at midnight. A child born on Christmas Day was gifted with the power to see spirits and to understand the

To our greeting we would like to add our thank you for your patronage.
New Lenox Electronic Shop
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New Lenox, Ill.

BEST WISHES
May each day bring you only the best life has to offer.
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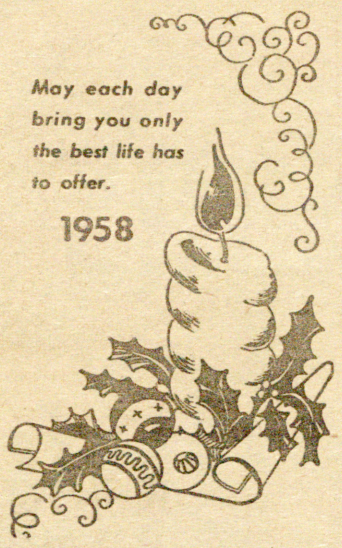
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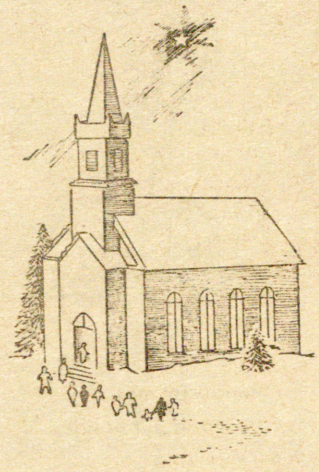

This is the great holiday that brings great joy to one and all.
SANGMEISTER ELECTRIC
Frankfort, Ill.

New Lenox Auto Body Shop
Spencer
New Lenox, Ill.

Christmas Greetings
May the joyous warmth of the Yule season rest with you always.

GOODSON Farm Equipment
TINLEY PARK, ILL.

GREETINGS

May this great holiday bring peace to you and the hearts of all men.
PAULING BROS.
OLIVER DEALERS
Frankfort, Ill.

Greetings

Have a happy, safe holiday. When you are in town again drop in and see us.
Bruns' Barber Shop
Amos Bruns, Prop.
New Lenox, Ill.

May your Christmas be as bright as the lovely trimmings on your tree.
Jerry's Standard Service
Mokena, Ill.

May this day bring you peace
STADEL'S
Woodworking Shop & Kitchen Center
35 E. McGovney St.
Mokena, Ill.

We're hoping you have a holiday season brimming with life's joy.
Muehler's Tavern
Mokena, Ill.

speech of animals. This chain of superstitions would provide some interesting results if only animals could be induced to talk.

Roosters crowing at night usually presaged bad luck. This did not hold true, however, at Christmas time. There were certain tasks that should not be done at Christmas. Ashes were not to be removed and no woman was to sew or knit between Christmas and the fourth day of the new year.

Any girl curious to know how many Christmas presents she could expect to receive, simply counted the number of white spots in her fingernails just before Dec. 25. If an umbrella was received among the gifts, it resulted in a broken friendship. It was bad luck to kill a fly on Christmas or to leave Christmas greens up after the New Year. It was good luck to you thruout the year if you were the first to greet anyone with a shouted "Merry Christmas". At least one superstition offered a ray of hope to boys. If he took a bath on Christmas day he would stay clean all the year.

These are among the many strange beliefs that have grown up about Christmas. Some people at some time evidently believed some of them. Perhaps later people will be listing some of our beliefs and smiling at them as we do at the samples given here.

CHRISTMAS TRIM

For fun and a Christmas conversation-piece, trim a small tree with unusual items that fit into your home's decor. If an oriental flavor will do, miniature fans and parasols make a delightful way to trim. Search the party-favors shops for similar ways to add gaiety to your home.

Some Holiday Sweets That Taste Good But Have Low Calory Count

You can enjoy Christmas sweets without eating excess calories.

A mixture of ground, dried fruits, moistened with enough lemon juice to hold them together and pressed into small balls make a tasty and nutritious sweet, says Mrs. Pearl Janssen, University of Illinois food specialist.

Fresh grapes look like glittering, frosted balls when you dip them in slightly beaten egg whites and then in granulated sugar. You can also arrange them as a centerpiece for your table—a centerpiece that's good to eat.

For another treat, slice a banana diagonally, spread with salad dressing and roll in toasted crumbled coconut. Eat this sweet soon after you make it or it will darken.

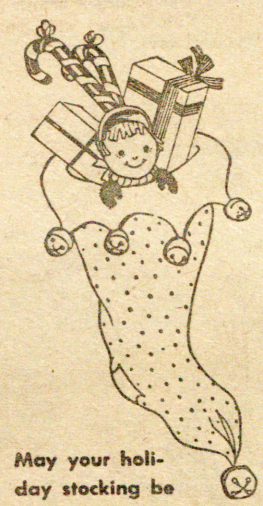
Polvoron as made in the Philippines is a sweet that children especially can enjoy. It's easy to make and nutritious, and by adding different flavors and colors to various portions of the mixture, you can get variety from one basic recipe.

Polvoron
1 cup all-purpose flour
½ cup sugar
½ cup dried milk
¼ cup butter, melted
½ teaspoon vanilla or other flavoring
½ cup nuts, chopped (optional)

Roast flour in a heavy cast iron skillet by placing over direct heat and stirring constantly. Cook until there is no uncooked starch flavor. Mix flour, sugar and milk together thoroly. Add melted butter, vanilla and nuts. Mix well. Press in small mold, such as butter mold. Remove carefully to hold the shape.

Wrap each piece in colored paper and keep in sight for your holiday callers.

it's Christmas



May your holiday stocking be filled with naught but joy.

MAC KENZIES
ORLAND PARK, ILL.

Greetings

We hear the wonderful music of Christmas carols and our holiday joy grows and deepens. We want to share it with all our friends, and to wish them a truly happy season.

LINCOLN-WAY
ORNAMENTAL IRON
Frankfort, Ill.

Merry Christmas

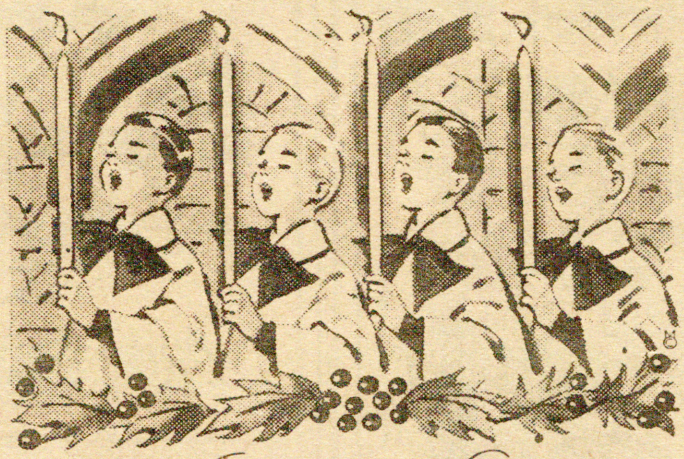
Greetings and best wishes to you for a happy holiday season. May your Christmas be the merriest!

DR. H. W. FELDMANN
TINLEY PARK, ILL.

Merry Christmas

To everyone in this fine town we send our greetings.

Doris Vanity Box
New Lenox, Ill.



Christmas Greetings

For all our friends and neighbors we send this Yuletide wish. May the joy of Christmas meet and mingle with the happiness in your heart. May the spirit of Christmas ever dwell with you.

COOPER & HOSTERT
MOKENA, ILL.

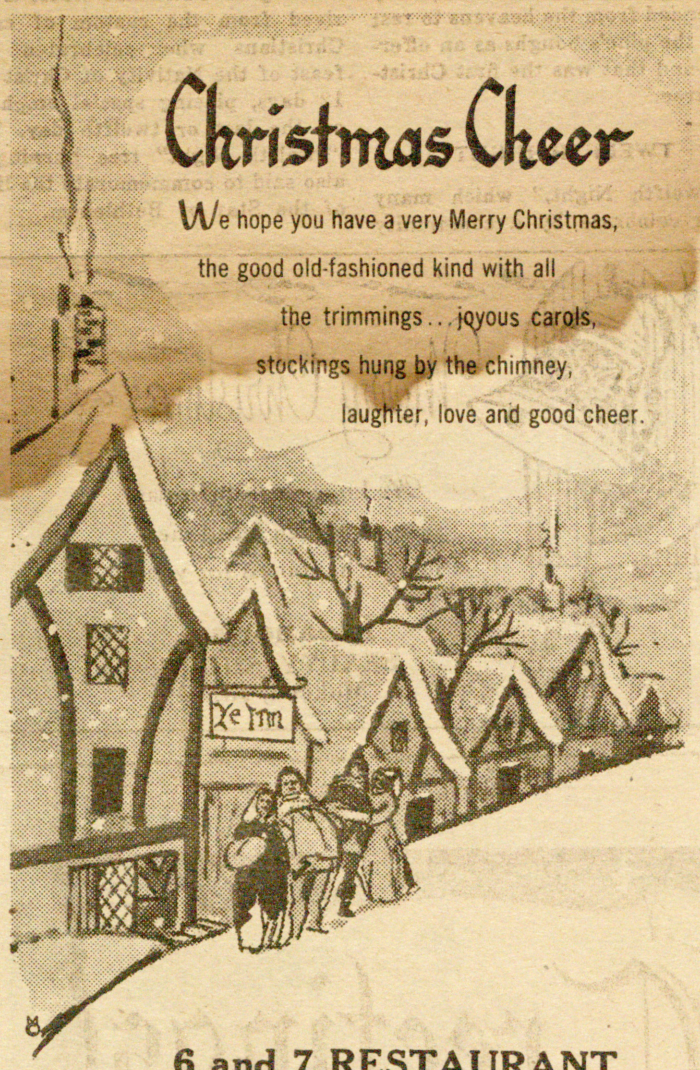
Merry Christmas

We send you a bountiful load of good wishes, friends and neighbors. At this joyous season, may you know all the happiness and contentment of a good old-fashioned Christmas.

KLEPPER'S BAKERY
TINLEY PARK, ILL.

Christmas Cheer

We hope you have a very Merry Christmas, the good old-fashioned kind with all the trimmings . . . joyous carols, stockings hung by the chimney, laughter, love and good cheer.



6 and 7 RESTAURANT
Orland Park, Ill.

An English king with a sense of humor gave us the name for sirloin steak. Charles II once compared his affection for his friends gathered at a Christmas dinner to his fondness for a loin of good beef. Touching the roast with his sword, he declared, "I knight thee Sir Loin."

Our best wishes for the Christmas season to all of our friends.

This & That Shop
New Lenox, Ill.

Christmas Blessings

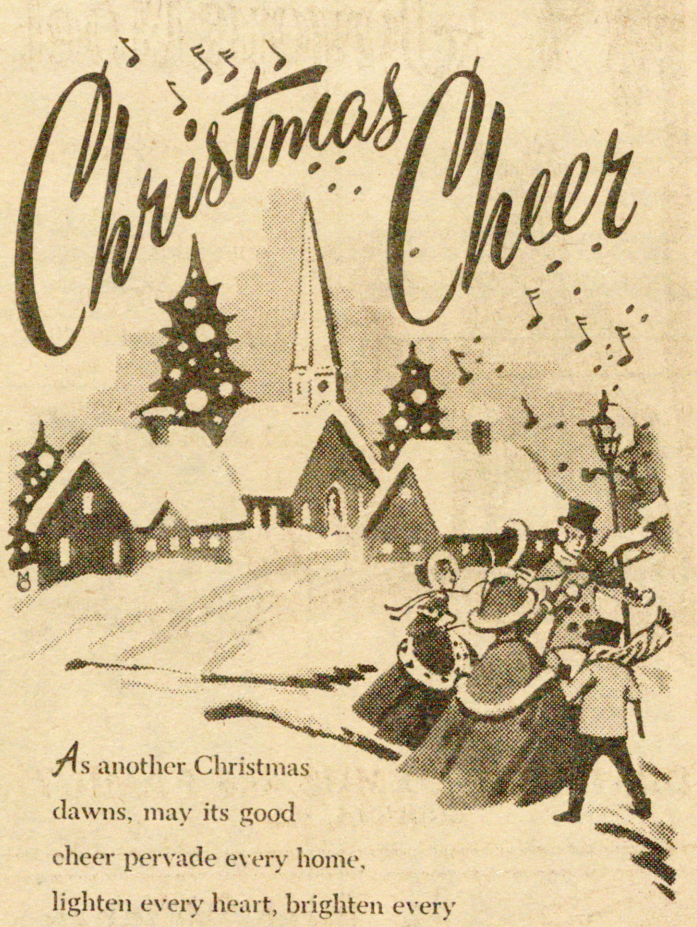
At Christmas time, we wish for you all the spiritual blessings of the season. May your heart and home be filled with happiness supreme, and may the radiance and wonder of this holy time be with you and yours throughout the coming year.

HIRSCH FUNERAL HOME
TINLEY PARK, ILL.

We'd like to thank all our good friends for their loyal patronage and wish them much joy throughout the holidays.

CLYDE YUNKER
PLUMBING and HEATING
MOKENA, ILL.

Christmas Cheer



As another Christmas dawns, may its good cheer pervade every home, lighten every heart, brighten every life. Especially may you and yours partake in full measure of all the joys and blessings of the Day. Merry Christmas, all!

DEVLIN'S SERVICE STATION
TINLEY PARK, ILL.

joys of Christmas

Glad greetings and best wishes for a season filled with all the joys of Christmas.

Geisler Drug Store
Mokena, Ill.
"Keep Christ in Christmas"

Christmas Joy

It is our sincere hope that the joy of the first Christmas may abide with you forever.

Harold C. Meyer
ELECTRICAL WORK
TINLEY PARK, ILL.

AUTO OWNERS ARE EASY TO PLEASE AT CHRISTMAS

For drivers who care for their cars, auto accessories present a wonderful gift!

Luxury items may be all he or she needs, but they'll love the addition of those. Among the many items you may select are visor dispensers, compass, dash tray, tissue holders, safety light, mirrors, a car radio, and others.

A dispenser that issues cigarettes, lighted, is a fine gift for the smoker.

There's an almost unending list of articles that are really practical.

Christmas tree legends vary

There are many legends about decorating the Christmas tree. One dates back to Boniface, who as England's missionary to Germany in the 8th century, "replaced the sacrifice to Odin's sacred oak to a fir tree adorned in tribute to the Christ child".

Others say that the tree and its candles should be attributed to Luther. Another says the practice dates to the Teutonic practice of bringing trees into homes to appease the god-like spirits that were believed to inhabit forest timbers.

But there is a legend more beautiful than all the rest. According to it, when Christ was born a group of stars looked down upon an olive tree, a date palm and a pine tree which stood over the manger.

Seeing that the pine had nothing to offer in His honor while the others gave fruit and dates, they descended from the heavens to rest upon the pine's boughs as an offering—and that was the first Christmas tree.

TWELFTH NIGHT

"Twelfth Night," which many towns celebrate by a community burning of Christmas trees, is derived from the custom of early Christians who celebrated the feast of the Nativity of Christ for 12 days, placing special emphasis on the last, or twelfth day. The "Twelfth Night" tree burning is also said to commemorate the light of the Star of Bethlehem.

Merry Christmas

It is our sincere wish that the spiritual beauty and festive joy of the Christmas season light up your days with bright hope and happiness.

HUNTER'S FOUNDRY
MOKENA, ILL.

Merry Christmas

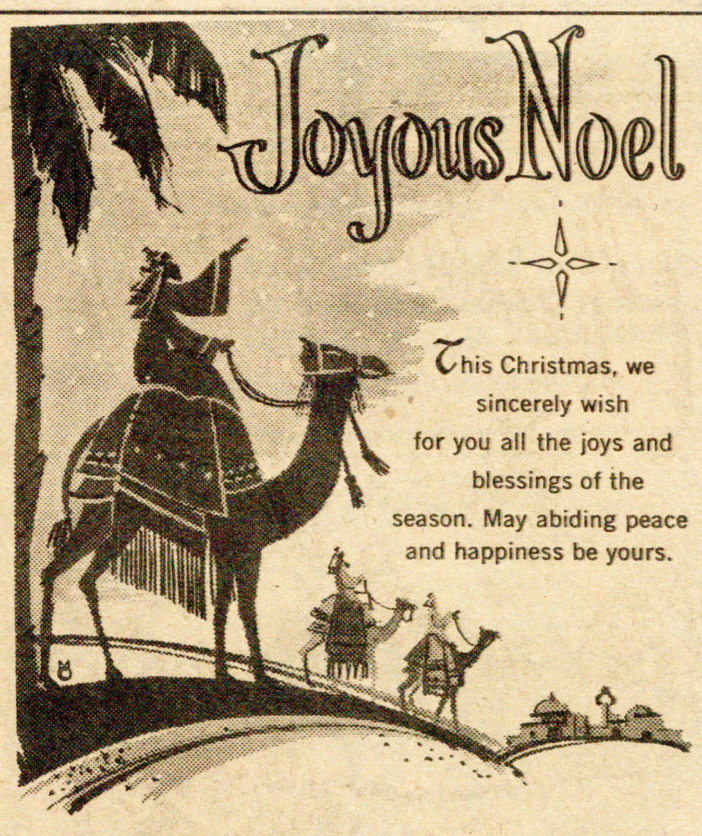
We hope this Christmas season rings in a full measure of happiness for you.

Eleanor's
BEAUTY SHOP
Mokena, Ill.

Greetings of the Season

In the spirit of a good old-fashioned Yuletide, we wish for you and your family all of the traditional joys of the season. May your days be bright and your hearts light, as you store up a rich treasure of happy memories.

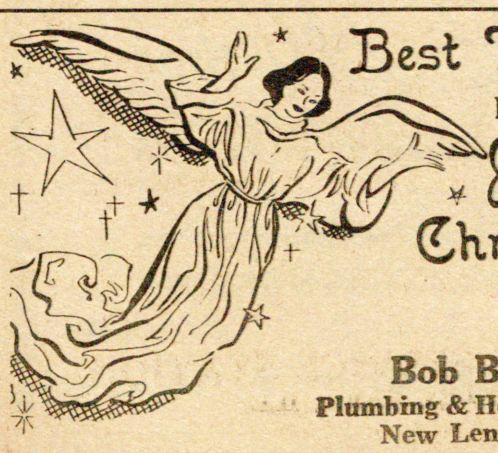
WALKER LUMBER CO.
OAK FOREST, ILL.



Joyous Noel

This Christmas, we sincerely wish for you all the joys and blessings of the season. May abiding peace and happiness be yours.

DR. PHILIP DEMUS and FAMILY
MOKENA, ILL.



Best Wishes FOR A Joyous Christmas

Bob Berls
Plumbing & Heating Cont.
New Lenox, Ill.

TINLEY PARK HARDWARE
TINLEY PARK, ILL.

WESTERN TIRE AUTO
TINLEY PARK, ILL.

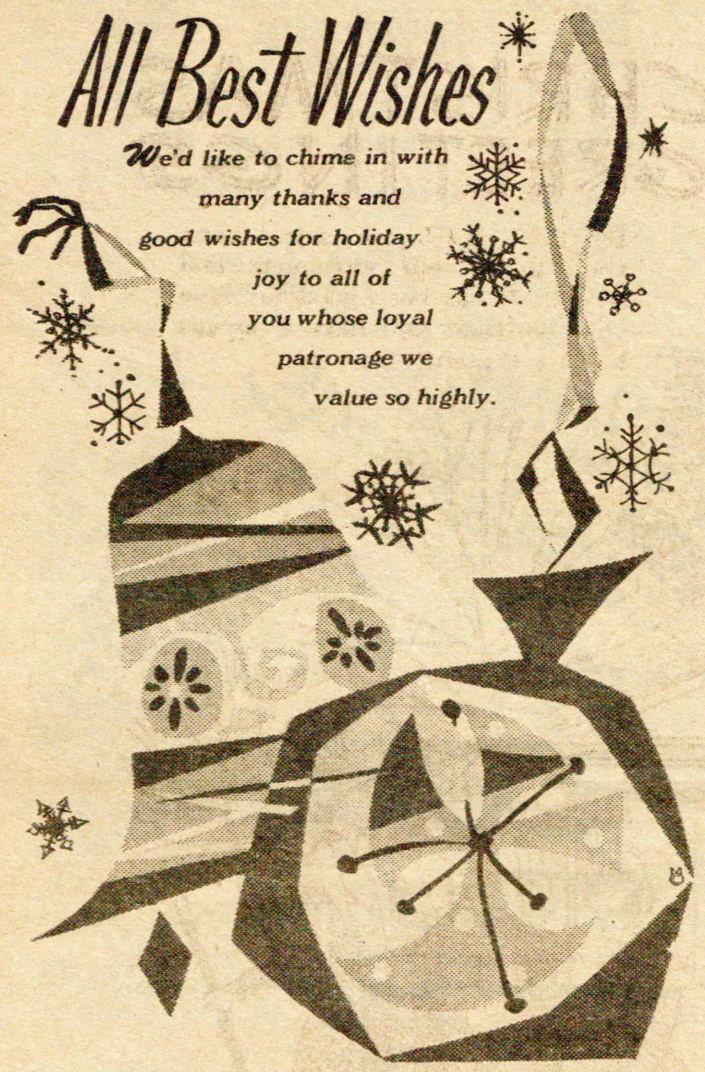
Directors and Employees
Frankfort State Bank
FRANKFORT, ILL.

Phil Hacker
Mokena, Ill.

Season's Good Wishes

As the holiday season glides merrily in, we would like to take the opportunity to express our appreciation to all the good people who have helped make this year such a wonderful one for us. Thank you . . . and best wishes for loads of Yuletide happiness!

NEW LENOX STATE BANK
NEW LENOX, ILL.



SAENGER BALLROOM
TINLEY PARK, ILL.

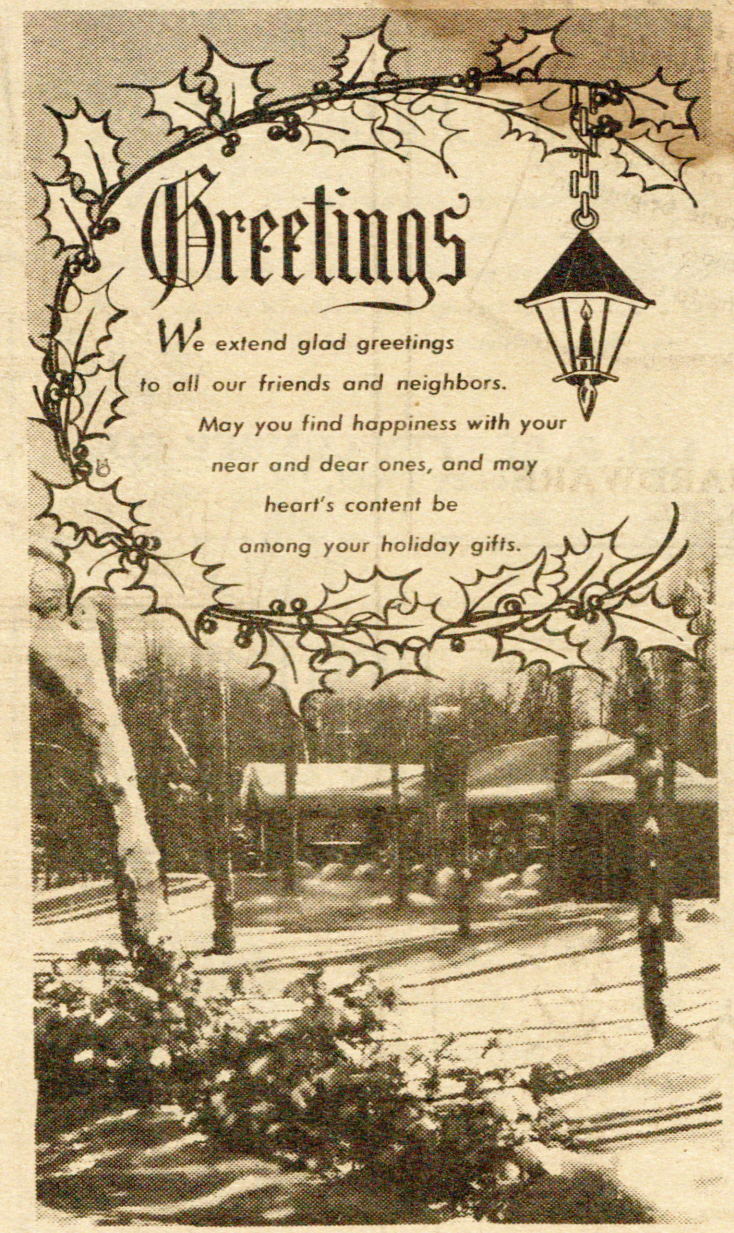
Mistletoe once symbol of evil

Today mistletoe is recognized throughout the world as a symbol of lasting peace and from this has come the custom of giving a kiss of love or peace beneath it.

Once, however, it was considered a weapon of death. Later it was considered a magical medicine.

It was a mistletoe arrow, according to Norse mythology, that Loki used to kill Balder, the sun god, after Balder's mother had obtained a promise from all living things, other than mistletoe, that they would not harm him.

Balder was restored to life and it was ruled by the gods that the mistletoe would never again be used to do harm.



MOKENA STATE BANK
MOKENA, ILL.

To Each and Every Friend
Both NEW and OLD . . .
In Every Tongue
These Words Are Told . . .

"Nodlaig Maithdhuit" —in Gaelic (Irish)
"Stastny a Vesele Vanoce a Novy Rok" —in Czecho-Slovakia
"Wesole Boze Narodzenie" —in Poland
"Glasdelig" —in Denmark
"Feliz Navidad" —in Argentina, Cuba, Spain, Mexico
"God Jul" —in Sweden
"Stretan Bozic" —in Jugo-Slavia: Croatia, Serbia
"Buon Natale" —in Italy
"Froliche Weinhnachten" —in Germany, Austria, Switzerland
"Feliz Natal" —in Brazil
"Joyeux Noel" —in Haiti, Morocco
"Melkam Ledetna Yedesta" —in Ethiopia
"Prettige Kerstdagen" —in The Netherlands
"Felices Pascuas" —in Bolivia, Chili, Columbia, Costa Rica, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Philippine Republic, Puerto Rico, Uruguay, Venezuela
"Gezuar K Rishtlindjen" —in Albania
"Links Mos Kaledos" —in Lithuania
"Gutt Yom-Tov" —in Jewish
"Chestito Vi Rozdgrstvo-Hrestovo" —in Bulgaria
"Voy Eux Noel" —in Belgium
"Iloista Joutus" —in Finland
"Boldog Karacsonyi Unnepeket" —in Hungary
"Un Joyeus Noel" —in France
"Zalige Kerstag" —in Holland
"Glaedelig Jul" —in Norway
"Gelukkig Kerstmas" —in Dutch
"Ge Chenorhavoren" or "St. Zenount" —in Armenia
"Kala-Hristougena" —in Greece
"Vesile Bozicne Praznike" —in Jugo-Slavia—Slovania
"Crucunululu Lumui Multi" —in Romania
"Vesyawlee Kreesmyes" —in Russia
"Mele Kalikimaka" —in Hawaii
"Maligayang Pasko" —in Philippine Islands
"Kurisumasu Omedeto" —in Japan
"Merry Xmas Mubarak Ho" —in Pakistan
"Kun Shi Sin Tan Jieh" —in China
"Feliz Natal" —in Portugal
"Aheed Umborak Alikem" —in Arabia—Syria—Iran—Iraq—Lebanon
"Koll Sana Wentom Tayebeen" —in Egypt
"Chuk Ha Soung Tan" —in Korea
"Chrystos Razdajetsia" —in Ukraine
"Veseli Vanoce" —in Bohemia

And in the Good Old American Way
We Say . . . . to One and All
"Merry Christmas"

MOKENA OIL CO.
Distributors of Phillips "66"
Phone 2811 Mokena, Ill.

Holiday Cheer

This is news right from jolly Santa himself . . . he's bringing you a holiday season packed with fun and good fellowship.

SANDS EDGE OF TOWN TAP
Ado W. Sands
MOKENA, ILL.

Doc's Place
Mokena, Ill.

Season's Greetings
1807 NOV'58 M.P.18

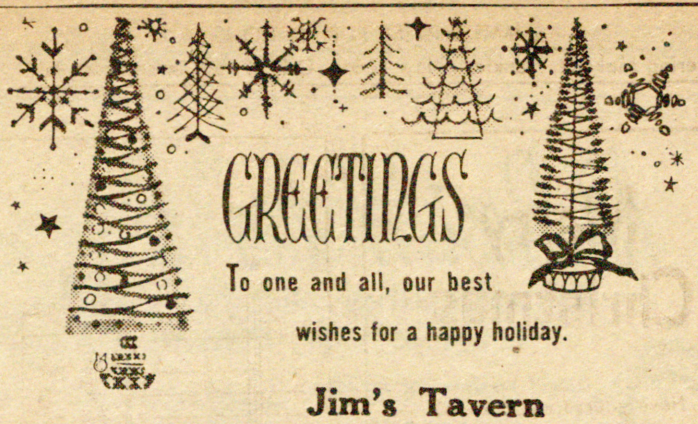
Sincere good wishes for a bright and happy holiday season, from all of us to all of you.

VILLAGE EVERGREEN NURSERY

Merry Christmas

With cheery wishes for a happy holiday season, we greet all our good friends and customers and extend our heartfelt thanks for the opportunity of serving such wonderful people. A very Merry Christmas to one and all!

I. N. R. BEATTY LUMBER CO.
TINLEY PARK, ILL.



GREETINGS

To one and all, our best wishes for a happy holiday.

Jim's Tavern
Mokena, Ill.

Merry Christmas

As happy families everywhere gather together to celebrate this most festive of seasons, we take pleasure in extending to you our hope that all the joys of Christmas fill your home.

MOKENA GRAIN & SUPPLY
MOKENA, ILL.

Christmas

All aboard the Merry Christmas Express, bound for Health, Happiness and Good Fellowship!

Hentsch Construction
Mokena, Ill.

GREETINGS

To all our friends we extend our best wishes for a wonderful Christmas, one filled with good cheer and many pleasant surprises.

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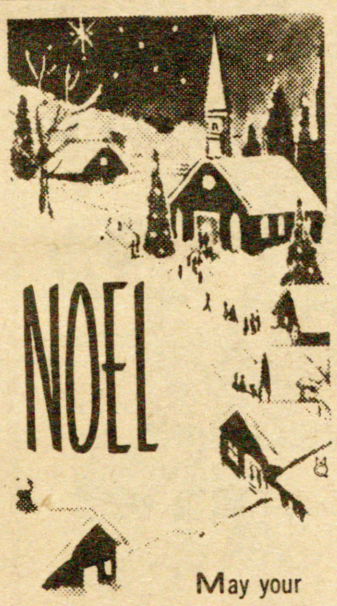
TINLEY PARK, ILL.



NOEL

May your holiday season be filled with merry days and may joy and good will fill your heart.

Mokena Electric Supply
Mokena, Ill.

Happy Holiday

Many, many good wishes to you and your family for a holiday season just singing with happiness and good cheer.

RUDY'S FOUNTAIN & LUNCH
TINLEY PARK, ILL.

Greetings To All

OUR FRIENDS

1958

FRANKFORT BOWLING LANES
Frankfort, Ill.

Merry Christmas

Have yourselves a happy holiday.

ART'S TRUCK STOP
Orland Park, Ill.

TO ALL OUR FRIENDS

Fitzer Frosties
New Lenox, Ill.

Merry Christmas

Good cheer, friends and a most happy holiday season.

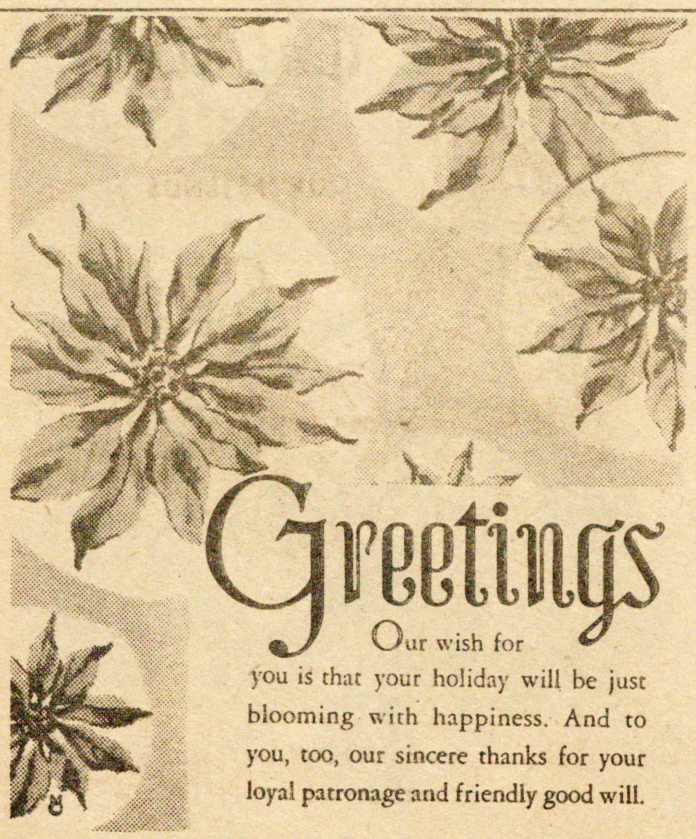
FRANKFORT
Cities Service
Frankfort, Ill.

As each Christmas comes around we look forward to seeing and greeting our many loyal friends. We take pleasure in saying "hello" and wish you a Merry Christmas.

DON A. MOORE, Committeeman
Bremen Township Regular Republican Organization

Here's hoping Santa delivers a full pack of Christmas joy and cheer to you and your family.

Dunham Hardware
Mokena, Ill.



Greetings

Our wish for you is that your holiday will be just blooming with happiness. And to you, too, our sincere thanks for your loyal patronage and friendly good will.

BERNARDIN FLORISTS
MOKENA, ILL.

Merry Christmas

The season's here with joy and cheer... to last througout the coming year! Best wishes to all!

Beauty Mart
New Lenox, Ill.

REIM HARDWARE
NEW LENOX, ILL.

Here's How 'Xmas' Came Into Being

Why is "Christmas" sometimes written "Xmas"?

"X" is the Greek letter symbol that is used to represent the name, "Christ."

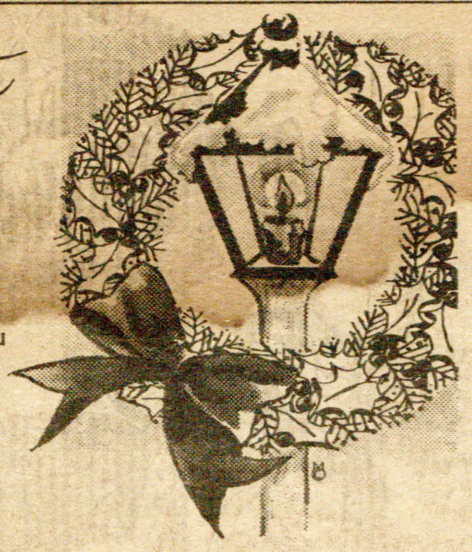
This symbol has been discovered by many archaeological exditions on the wall of early-Christian catacombs.

Quite recently, a group of scientists discovered the ame of Jesus, carved before 70 A.O., among the inscriptions on 11 early-Christian urns.

These urnss were uncovered in a cave on the Bethlehem to Jerusalem Road.

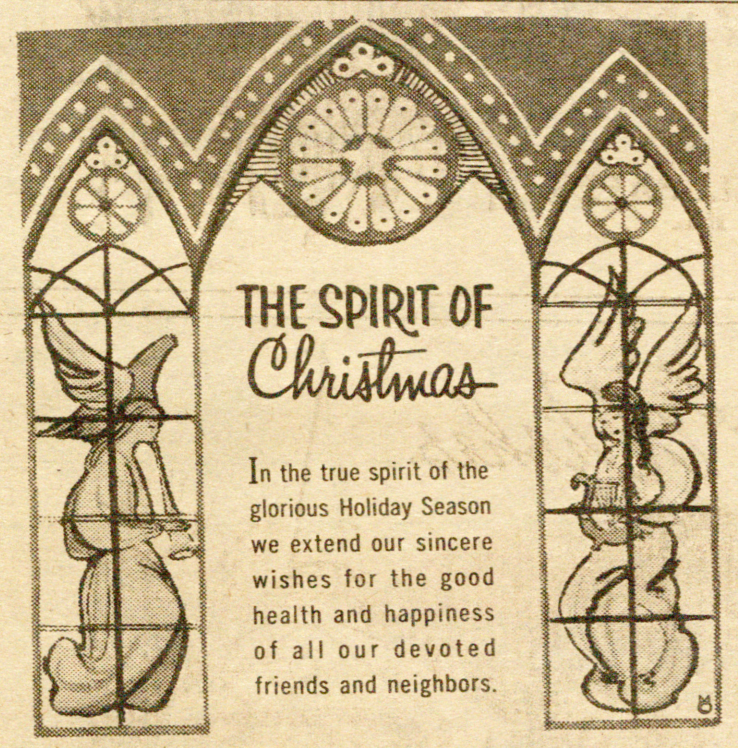
It is believed that these writings were left by a sect of Hebrews who were follows of Christ and who had denounced Pontius Uilate.

Bright HOLIDAY WISHES



Here's wishing you a holiday season aglow with all the good things that help to make our lives brighter.

MAPLE LANE DAIRY
CRETE, ILL.



THE SPIRIT OF Christmas

In the true spirit of the glorious Holiday Season we extend our sincere wishes for the good health and happiness of all our devoted friends and neighbors.

JOHNNY COLE'S OIL SERVICE
TINLEY PARK, ILL.

Christmas Blessings

The Ron Whitaker AGENCY
New Lenox, Ill.

Christmas Cheer

Here's Christmas cheer to all our friends and patrons. We thank you for your loyalty and good will, and we hope your holidays will be a time of high happiness, deep contentment, gifts galore!

TINLEY PARK DAIRY
TINLEY PARK, ILL.

MERRY CHRISTMAS

Days may come and days may go, but Christmas Day has a special magic and wonder all its own. May it be for you the very merriest of holidays!

ROLLIE'S SINCLAIR STATION
NEW LENOX, ILL.

Silent Night

As we approach the peace and quiet of the Holy Night may His love fill your heart with joy and happiness.

FRANKFORT HARDWARE
Frankfort, Ill.

Happy Holiday
1958

May a feeling of love and charity fill your house this Christmas and for all the year.

Merle Carlson
129 Haines ave.
New Lenox, Ill.
Agent for Adams Realty
Joliet, Ill.

Greetings

It's the season of rejoicing, of peace on earth, good will to men. May Christmas bring you complete happiness.

HARR'S BARBER SHOP
Mokena, Ill.

Greetings

Like jolly old Santa himself, we're full of good wishes for one and all for a holiday season that will long be remembered for its good cheer and happiness.

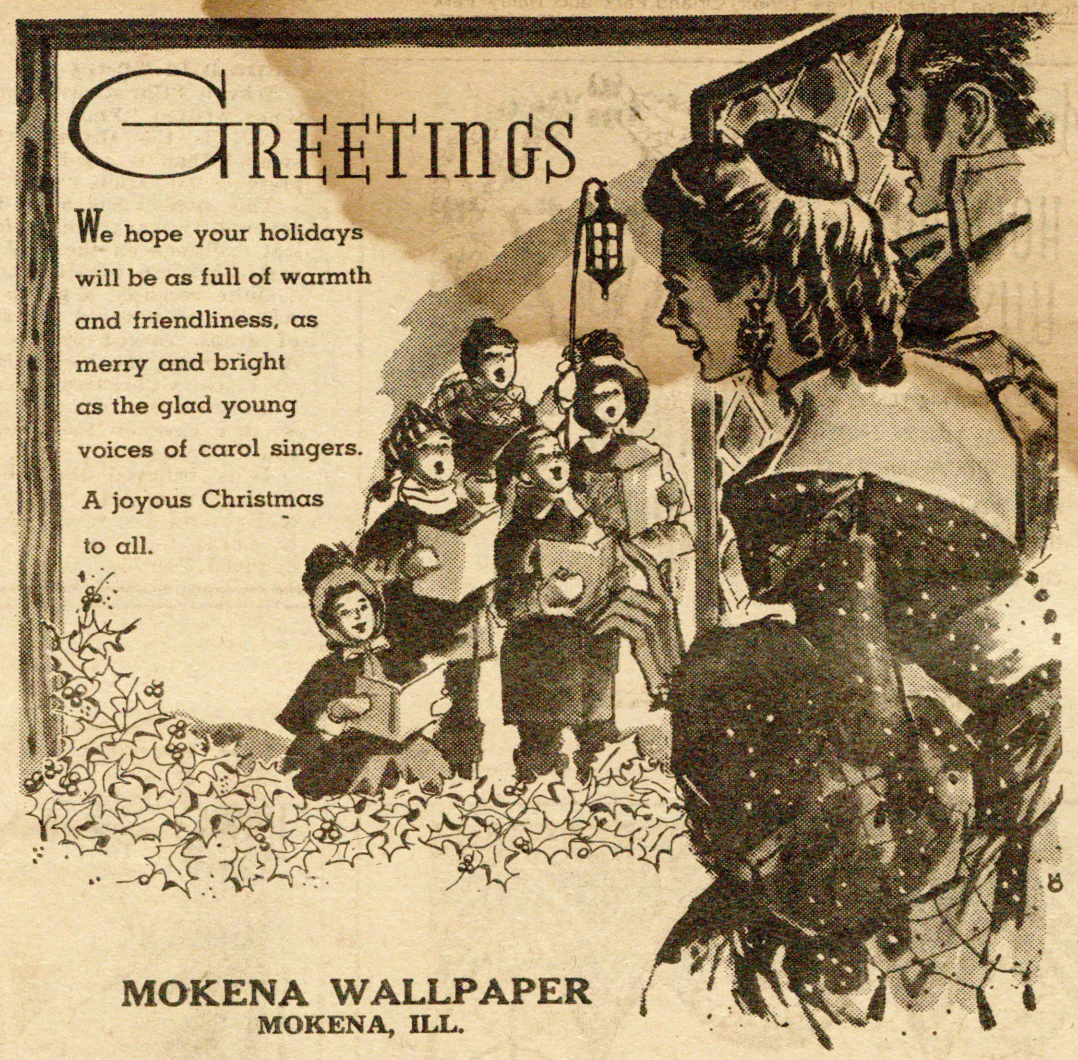
NIELSEN CHEVROLET

146 E. 147th ST. HARVEY, ILL.

GREETINGS

We hope your holidays will be as full of warmth and friendliness, as merry and bright as the glad young voices of carol singers.

A joyous Christmas to all.



MOKENA WALLPAPER
MOKENA, ILL.

CHRISTMAS CHEER

To you, from us . . . Merry Christmas and a happy Holiday-Season. May your blessings multiply and your days be full of the wonder and joy of living!

BETTENHAUSEN MOTOR SALES
TINLEY PARK, ILL.

Best Wishes

for the Holiday Season

With sincere gratitude for the warm friendships which we have enjoyed, we extend greetings of the season to all of you, whose good will and loyalty we count among our most cherished possessions. May the holidays find you in hearty good health, surrounded by devoted family and friends.

SERVICE BAKERY
TINLEY PARK, ILL.

- - - And for Today's Virginias The Answer Stands — 'Yes, Indeed'

(It was only September, and 1897's Christmas was three months in the future. But Virginia O'Hanlon's concern was with an important problem that, to her, knew no season. That was why she wrote her letter to the New York Sun asking "Is there a Santa Claus?" The answer to Virginia's question, composed in a moment of deep spiritual insight by Francis B. Church, stands even today as a testament of faith.)

"Yes, indeed!

"Virginia, your little friends are wrong. They have been affected by the skepticism of a skeptical age—they do not believe except what they see—they think that nothing can be which is not comprehensible by their little minds.

"All minds, Virginia, whether they be men's or children's are little.

"In this great universe of ours man is a mere insect, an ant, in his intellect, as compared with the boundless world about him, as measured by the intelligence capable of grasping the whole of truth and knowledge.

"Yes, Virginia, there is a Santa Claus.

"He exists as certainly as love and generosity, and devotion exist, and you know that they abound and give to your life its highest beauty and joy. Alas! how dreary would be the world if there were no Santa Claus! It would be as dreary as if there were no Virginias. There would be no childlike faith then, no poetry, no romance to make tolerable this existence. We should have no enjoyment, except in sense and sight. The eternal light which childhood fills the world would be extinguished.

"Not believe in Santa Claus! You might as well not believe in fairies!

"You might get your papa to hire men to watch in all the chimneys on Christmas Eve to catch Santa Claus, but even if they did not see Santa Claus coming down, what would that prove? Nobody sees Santa Claus, but that is no sign that there is no Santa Claus—the most real things in the world are those neither children nor men can see.

"Did you ever see fairies dancing on the lawn? Of course not, but that's no proof that they are not there—nobody can conceive or imagine all the wonders that are unseen and unseeable in the world.

"You tear apart the baby's rattle and see what makes the noise inside, but there is a veil covering the unseen world which not the strongest man, or even united strength of all the strongest men, that ever lived, could tear apart. Only faith, fancy, poetry, love, romance, can push aside the curtain and view the picture the supernal beauty and glory beyond.

"Is it all real?—ah, Virginia, in all this world there is nothing else real and abiding. No Santa Claus!

"Thank God!—he lives, and he lives forever—a thousand years from now, Virginia, nay, ten thousand years from now, he will continue to make glad the heart of childhood."

Christmas Gift Ideas For HIM

"How nice you look"—"How good you smell" . . . are compliments that 'turn a man's head' as quick as a lady's—though he won't be so ready to admit it!

For a very nice gift this Christmas, give him a gay box of matching-scent cologne and after-shave.

A box of shaving needs for at home or packed in a traveling case will also please him.

An electric razor, for home or car, in a type suited to his beard, will save him more than enough time each morning for a second cup of coffee. (He'll thank you for that!)

Other wonderful - to - receive items you might give are a manicure kit, club-style or military brush, and a big bar of bath soap tied with a nylon cord (saves tempers often lost in locating an elusive bar.)

CANDLE "TIP"

For an inexpensive, large candle decoration—wrap a square paper milk carton in any bright Christmas paper. Add a paper "flame" to the top with cello phane tape. Its lovely!

Merry Christmas

May this Yule season bring you the joy of the first Christmas.

BILOTTI
—SHOE STORE
TINLEY PARK, ILL.

MERRY CHRISTMAS

and we add our best wishes.

FRANKFORT HEATING CO.
Frankfort, Ill.

"... For we have seen his star in the east, and are come to worship him."
Matthew ii. 2.

May the true spirit of Christmas brighten your heart and hearth this joyous season.

ORLAND STATE BANK
ORLAND PARK, ILL.

Merry Christmas
1958

Friendliest of wishes for a Merry Christmas and a happy Holiday.

Dee & Ed's Midwest
Dee and Ed Falck, Prop.
New Lenox, Ill.

Good Wishes

Our thanks and best wishes for a very happy holiday season to all of you whose patronage we value so highly.

MR. and MRS. ANTHONY DINA
Mokena, Ill.

Merry Christmas

Joy to the world and to all our sincere greetings.

Geo. Richardson
SIGN PAINTER
TINLEY PARK, ILL.

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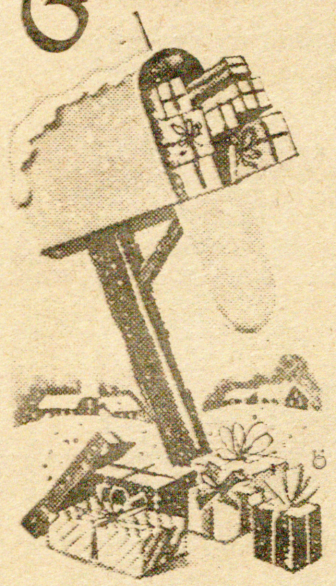

It's holiday time, and we wish you many packages of happiness and good cheer.

L. BROWNLEE
Lawn Mower Sales and Repair Service
Mokena, Ill.

Season's Greetings

In the traditional manner, we wish for you a happy holiday.

SKOGMOS
TINLEY PARK, ILL.

The Armenians eat boiled spinach on Christmas Eve, according to The World Book Encyclopedia, because they believe Mary ate the vegetable the night before Christ was born.

What's a happy holiday made of? Tinsel and holly, music and merry-making, love and laughter ... we wish you an abundance of all these and more throughout this most festive and inspiring of all the seasons in the year.

Brun's Laundromat and Cocktail Lounge
NEW LENOX, ILL.

Warmly, we welcome the happiest season of the year, with hearty wishes to our friends and customers, for a holiday abounding in joy and good fellowship.

ENGLISH BROS. FORD GARAGE
17048 OAK PARK AVE. TINLEY PARK, ILL.

CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

Our hearts are full of best wishes for all of our friends.

RAY & MYRTLE WALSH
TURKEY FARM
Frankfort, Ill.

We extend our warmest greetings with the hope that this Holiday Season brings you and yours a full measure of good health and happiness. May all the joys of Christmas remain with you throughout the coming New Year.

FUNK'S TAVERN
TINLEY PARK, ILL.

At Christmas

May this Christmas Season lift your spirits, warm your heart and bring you untold joy and happiness.

BREMEN TOWNSHIP TOWN BOARD

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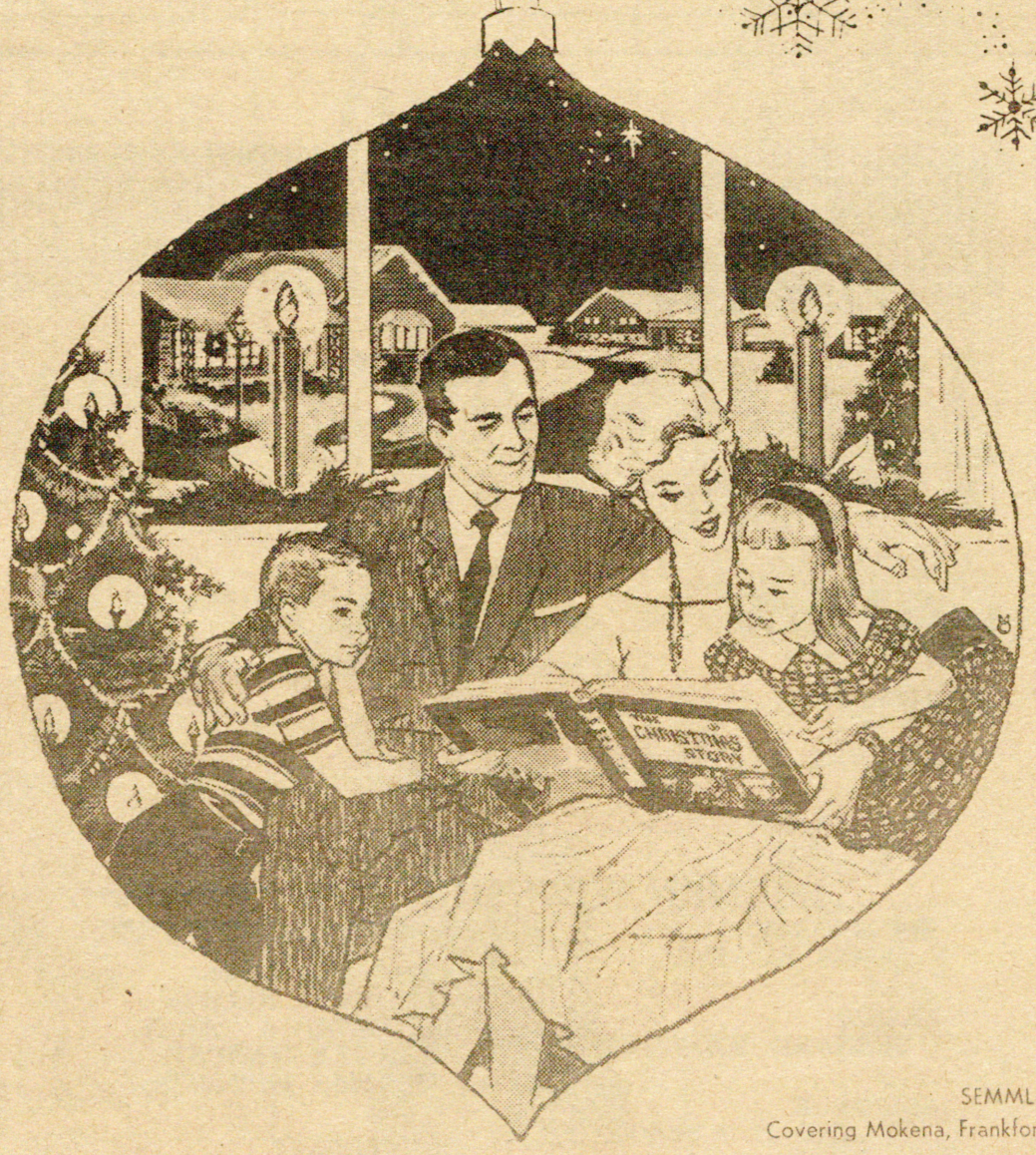
WILL LAMB
BURIEN T. COOK
PAUL E. TUFO
CHARLES MARTIN

All good wishes to you for a holiday full of fun and festivity.

Season's Greetings

Florey's
SERVICE STATION
Mokena, Ill.

Best Wishes for CHRISTMAS



Glad Christmas greetings and good wishes, friends and neighbors! It is our sincere hope that the joyous spirit of this happiest of all holidays will light up your home and your heart with peace and good will. May you ever be blessed by the rich rewards of having friends and loved ones around you. As you observe Christmas with those near and dear to you, may you rejoice anew at the true meaning and eternal glory of this Holy time. May it bring you inspiration for every day of a more abundant life.

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